ROBBERS ATTACK 3 WOMEN

THE WEATHER

Rain or snow tonight or Thursday morning, followed by clearing weather; increasing south to west winds.

Sun rises 6:59; sets 4:21; moon sets 6:14 p. m.; high tide noon.

Temperatures (111 1 p. m.: Maximum, 34 at 1 p. m.; minimum, 28 at 10 a. m.; average, 30.5 Temperature at 1 p. m., 34.

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SPLIT IN FORD PARTY, REPORT BY WIRELESS

SCOUR CITY FOR TWO HOLD-UP MEN

Special details of police today searched the city for two daring young bandits who have held up three woman during the past three days and killed one of the women —Mrs. Sarah Haynes of Roxbury.

The record of the highwaymen to date is as follows:

Mrs. Sarah Haynes, struck down in the doorway of her home, No. 56 Dello avenue, Roxbury, Monday evening with a blackjack or a club. The men seized a handbag containing $30 and a gold chain and fled. Mrs. Haynes died yesterday at the hospital from her wounds.

Miss Elisabeth McKinnon, No. 45 Dello avenue, near the Haynes home, was held up and robbed of her purse near her home on Saturday evening. Two young men carried out the holdup.

Mrs. Julia Lookner, held up and robbed in the doorway of No. 47 Chambers street, West End, by two young men. They flourished revolvers in her face while she handed over two earrings valued at $300.

The methods of the robbers in each case were identical.

BLAME SAME TWO MEN.

The police believe all jobs were done by the same two men. Miss McKinnon furnished the best description of one of the men, saying he was about twenty-two years old, five feet seven

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WEST END WOMAN ROBBED OF GEMS AT PISTOL POINT

Mrs. Julia Lookner of No. 47 Chambers street, who was robbed by two men.

¶Shop Early

¶ Only Fourteen

¶ More Shopping Days

¶ Before

¶ Christmas

TROLLEY HITS AUTO; THREE HURT

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Thurston of "Drabbington Lodge," Kendall Green, together with their four-year-old daughter, narrowly escaped death today when their automobile, driven by the chauffeur, Henry Herrick, crashed head on into an electric car on Main street, Waltham, near Harvard street.

Herrick was taken to the Waltham Hospital, where his name was placed on the dangerous list. He was crushed by the steering wheel.

Mrs. Thurston received injuries to her back and shoulders. Their daughter was thrown from the automobile, striking on her head. After receiving medical attention, Mrs. Thurston and her daughter were driven to their home. Mr. Thurston was uninjured.

The party was going toward Watertown. As they approached Harvard street, Herrick turned out to pass an auto truck. He did not see the approaching car. With a crash that could be heard some distance the auto and car came together. Passing citizens assisted the injured ones.

The front vestibule of the car was badly damaged, as was the front of the automobile.

Communipaw Not Sunk

NOW SAY OIL BOAT ESCAPED

By CYRUS CRAWFORD, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

ROME, Dec. 8.—Despite the utmost efforts of the American Embassy to secure official information as to the American steamer Communipaw, no definite details as to the safety or destruction of the vessel had been obtained this forenoon.

It is now believed at the embassy, however, that the steamer was not sunk by a submarine. An official report reached the embassy early in the day that the Communipaw was safe, but that it had been shelled by an Austrian submarine near Tobruk. This report said that the vessel was undamaged, that no member of the crew had been injured and that the Communipaw was safe in port at Alexandria.

The opinion was unofficially expressed at the embassy today that the report of the sinking of the Communipaw was erroneous and that the reported bombardment of the steamer by a submarine might also prove to be untrue.

WILSON DEMANDS FACTS IN ATTACK ON THE PETROLITE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8—Announcement was made at the White House today that President Wilson had ordered an immediate and thorough inquiry into the attack on the American steamer Petrolite by a submarine flying the Austrian flag. It had been planned to include the reported attack on the Communipaw in the investigation until it was learned that the vessel was safe.

It was made plain that the President was determined to act immediately. A vigorous note will be sent to Austria, demanding disavowal of the act, with a pledge that no more American vessels will be attacked and a promise of full reparation for the loss of American lives.

TO COVER ANCONA CASE.

Ambassador Page at Rome cabled the State Department today that a vessel, believed to be the American steamer Communipaw, had been torpedoed and sunk in the Mediter-

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PLEA FOR PEACE BY CARDINAL

Today, which is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, is also the birthday anniversary of Cardinal O'Connell. He is fifty-six years old.

To the people of New England the Cardinal issued the following message:

I desire today, on the morning of my 56th birthday, to send my love and my blessing to the people of New England, Catholic and non-Catholic.

I have just thanked God for the blessings he has bestowed upon me, without which it would have been impossible for me to attain to the high position I hold.

I shall pray for the happiness and prosperity of the people of New England.

If they obey the laws of God and state, they surely will be both happy and prosperous.

The Cardinal said he took this occasion to say how deeply touched he was at the many messages of affectionate good will which had come to him from clergy and laity all over the archdiocese on the occasion of his birthday, and to all he sent his heartfelt thanks and acknowledgment.

PRAYS FOR PEACE.

The Cardinal also issued a prophecy of peace and a call for all to pray for peace to arrive. He said:

President Wilson's message is very pertinent at this time, coming as it does immediately after the consistory and the Holy Father's plea for peace. It is significant because it shows the hearts of men desire peace greatly. Every good American should work and pray for peace, a peace that will be dishonorable to none.

This is no time for partisanship. That should be forgotten, because the great voice of humanity is calling to us from across the seas, calling in unparalleled pain and misery, and we must answer.

It seems for the moment the people of the warring nations have yielded to the promptings of passion, but we Americans should hold our passions in check and let nothing cloud the fact that we must remain neutral, listening for the word from on high.

We must not be stubborn, no matter what the provocation. We must be patient, and believe that God in His own way will give us peace. That is the only way for Christians to feel.

The Holy Father desires that this terrible war shall cease. From Rome has come the plea for the nations to stop their strife. The presence of God will be felt throughout the earth when he decides that the hour has arrived. Peace is bound to come.

Report English Take Winnebago for a Transport

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 8.—The United States steamship Winnebago, which was seized by a British warship while on her way to the United States with a cargo of lumber, is to be taken over by the British Admiralty for war service, according to a report current here today. She will be used either as a transport or supply ship.

The Winnebago is the fourth ship flying the United States flag and owned by the American Trans-Atlantic Steamship Company of New York to be seized by the British.

Following so closely upon the the seizure of the Argentine ship, Presidente Mitre by a British warship, the incident has aroused much feeling.

German Denounces Anti-American Talk

By International News Service.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 8.—German attacks against the United States are deplored by Maximilian Harnden, famous editor of the Zukunft. He referred to those who took part in the recent anti-American mass meeting as a pack of scoundrels and declared that their actions disgusted every right-thinking German and disgraced Germany before the world.

15-Year-Old British Prince a Volunteer

By International News Service.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Prince Henry, third son of King George, who is too young to go to the front, has become a war worker and is employed in the army ordnance corps. His work is to help load and unload army supplies on railway cars and push loaded trucks. He is fifteen years old, but very sturdy.

American Steamer Arrives Damaged

GRAVESEND, Eng., Dec. 8.—The American steamship Korea has arrived in a damaged condition and has been put up in dry dock at Tilbury. Her damage is amidship and on the port side.

TODAY'S BANK CLEARINGS.

Boston sub-treasury credit, $40,-

Boston clearings, $31,816,020.

New York sub-treasury debit, $379,159.

New York clearings, $465,858,600.

M'ADOO AS MELLEN'S ADVISER

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—A sensation was created in the New Haven conspiracy trial today when Charles F. Choate, counsel for the defendants, read into the records a letter from William G. McAdoo, now Secretary of the Treasury, but then at the head of the Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Company.

The letter was dated June 14, 1907, and was read to the New Haven directors, said Charles S. Mellen, under cross-examination, and to some extent influenced them as portraying public opinion on the matter of the Boston & Maine absorption.

In his letter McAdoo said:

"I congratulate you on the progress you are making toward the acquisition of the Boston & Maine, and hope that your plans may be realized. I do not see how any broad-gauged and progressive man can take any other view than that it will be beneficial to New England."

Asked about talks with McAdoo, Mellen told how negotiations were in progress to bring about a connection of the Hudson tube with the Grand Central Station.

"He tried to pull my leg," said Mellen, "and I tried to pull his, and I guess neither of us succeeded."

PEACE TRIP DEBATES DEFENCE PLANS

By HELEN BULLIT LOWRY, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

ABOARD THE PEACE SHIP OSCAR II., By Wireless, via Cape Race, Dec. 8.—Members of the peace expedition headed by Henry Ford are divided into two camps today. One camp supports President Wilson's attitude with reference to preparedness as set forth in his message to Congress. The other camp is opposed to preparedness.

The "Antis" are led by Ellis O. Jones, editorial writer on a humorous publication, who declared today that he had the support of most of his fellow Argonauts.

Jones sounded the keynote of opposition last evening at a peace meeting attended by all members of the pacifistic expedition.

He took the floor as soon as S. S. McClure had read extracts from the President's message following an address by the Rev. Charles F. Aked, pastor of the First Congregational church of San Francisco.

"I certainly believe that this message should be received in silence by

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VERY LATEST NEWS

HOLD TRINITY MAN IN AUTO CASE.

HARTFORD, Ct., Dec. 8.—Herman T. Morgan, 22, of this city, formerly a football player at Trinity College and later a salesman for the Standard Oil Company in British India, was arrested here today charged with the theft of a 7-passenger automobile owned by L. F. Whatstone of Germantown, Pa., a student at Amherst College. According to the police Morgan admitted taking the machine in Springfield Monday night during a Trinity students' dinner.

LINER SACHEM BATTERED BY GALES.

The Warren Line steamship Sachem arrived in port today with one of her lifeboats smashed by a sea which boarded her during a gale. The Sachem was two weeks on her voyage from Liverpool. During one storm her cargo shifted, but was re-stowed when the gale was at its height.

TREMONT TEMPLE Tremont St. NEAR School St.

DAILY 1 P. M. to 11 P. M.

OFFICIAL FRENCH WAR PICTURES

FIGHTING FOR FRANCE

DOCTORS AGAIN LET DEFECTIVE BABY DIE

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Science again has folded its arms and a wealthy Chicago baby has paid its debt to the law of eugenics. Grace Werder, whose life, it is admitted, could have been saved by the surgeons, but who was a hopeless defective physically and mentally, was born November 30 at the German American Hospital, where the Bollinger baby spent its short life, and died December 5.

The news of the second "passive killing" came to light today. Dr. Jacob Falkenreyer was the attending physician, and in agreement with him were Dr. Harry Haiselden.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

BULL DOG SUSPENDERS
In Attractive Gift Boxes
At Your Dealers' 50c

CUNNEEN TO AID IN ANTI-SALOON CAMPAIGN

John F. Cunneen, the "machinist" orator of Chicago arrived in Boston today and will be hereafter one of the principal speakers in the Anti-Saloon League campaign.

Although working 26 years as a machinist in his native city, Mr. Cunneen has been an active factor in nearly every big no-license fight in the country. He will be in Boston until the end of the campaign, Dec. 14. His principal work will be shop rallies.

"It is humorous to hear Mayor Curley say that the loss of one million dollars revenue from liquor licenses would pauperize Boston's finances," said Mr. Cunneen.

"In Chicago license fees amount to seven million. We shall have Chicago dry next April. But we have the argument there to use that the aldermanic investigating committee of th ecity headed by Alderman Merriam found, after a thorough overhauling of the city's finances, that seven millions could be saved by more economic administration. There is no doubt in my mind that the million dollars revenue received from the liquor licenses in Boston could be saved here by a more economic administration.

With Major Dan Morgan Smith in general charge, Cunneen will take nominal charge of the street speakers. Major Smith speaks tonight at Allston Hall, Allston.

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and PROFIT by its advantages.

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—Among many other offerings tomorrow and worthy of quick action are:

Up to 45c Ribbons 29c
—A wondrous showing of Dresden ribbons for fancy bags and gifts. Widths from 6 to 7 inches.

Serving Trays, $4.50 Value, at 2.89
—Mahogany Serving Trays, 33x14½, with center design of rosettes and urn, 1¼-inch rim, brass handles.

3 Women's Handkerchiefs $1.00
—Boxed, ready for presentation. All linen, prettily embroidered; choice of several patterns, 3 in box, $1.00.

Pictures
—Hand colored Colonial and Landscape pictures, framed in attractive antique gilt and polished mahogany frames. Each in individual box:
60c and $1.00
Same subjects unframed in folders for mailing:
25c and 50c

Women's Gloves... $1.15
—1 clasp street gloves, heavy cape, oak shades, very serviceable, prix seams, spear point backs.

New Blouses of Crepe de Chine 2.95
—Heavy crepe, yoke shoulder, reversible collar, centre front finished with clusters of pearl buttons. Hemstitched cuffs, colors white, flesh, nile, rose and coral.

Desk Pads 25c
—Large absorbent blotting pads, 16x20 and 19x24 inches, with leather corners.

Undermuslins
All Philippine Hand Embroidered
—Garments are made in America hence cut full and free; embroidered in the Philippines.
—Gowns, $1.00, $1.50, $1.95, $2.95, $3.95.
—Chemise, $1.00, $1.50, $1.95.
—Combinations, $1.00, $1.95.

Leather Goods at $1.00
—Ever and ever so many pieces, including:
—Leather, Silk and Velvet Bags.
—Collar Bags, Satin Lined.
—Handkerchief Cases.
—Tie Cases, Tie Racks, etc.
—Military Brush Sets.
—Coat Hanger Sets.
—Strap Back and Strap Top Books, etc., etc.

Men's Tie & Hose Sets.. 50c
—Best value we have ever offered in a man's set at 50c.
—Not 50c each, but 50c for the complete set. One pair fibre-silk plaited half hose with four-in-hand to match. Attractively boxed.

Boudoir Caps at 50c
—Captivating styles, made of sheer laces or crepe de chine. Pastel and evening shades.

THE SHEPARD STORES
THOROUGHFARE—WINTER ST. TO TEMPLE PLACE

Today's
PIANO BARGAINS
Appear on the Last
Want-Ad Page
IMPORTANT—Be sure and look for the Real Estate and Want-Ad Section, included with your next Sunday's American.

SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

MISS RUTH IVY WEDS TONIGHT

MISS AGNES MEANS TO BE PRESENTED TODAY

MISS RUTH IVY.

She will become the bride of Frederic B. Greenhalge of Lowell, son of the late Governor Frederic T. Greenhalge. Miss Ivy lives at No. 83 Fairmont avenue, Newton.

Miss Ruth Ivy, one of the leaders in Newton's younger set and a musician of talent, will be married tonight to Frederic B. Greenhalge of Lowell, son of the late Governor Frederic T. Greenhalge. The ceremony will be performed at the bride's home, No 83 Fairmont avenue, Newton, and will be attended only by the immediate relatives and friends of the couple.

Miss Ivy is twenty-three and has appeared in many musicales in Greater Boston as a pianist and violinist. The groom is forty, a Lowell lawyer, and resides at No. 49 Wyman street, that city.

Mrs. Malcolm H. Ivy, sister-in-law of the bride, will be the matron of honor, and I. Mansu Beard of New York will be the best man. There will be no other attendants.

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Miss Anne Means of No. 248 Commonwealth avenue will present her niece, Miss Agnes Means, today, at a reception at the Tuileries. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Means of Meadow Lodge, Manchester-by-the-Sea, and is one of the most popular of the season's debutantes. Miss Isabella Councilman and Miss Anne Means, 2d, will be in charge of the tea tables and will be assisted by a large number of the Winter's buds and debutantes.

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Dr. and Mrs. Robert Lovett of Fairfield street are entertaining at dinner tonight their daughter, Miss Gertrude Lovett, and a number of her friends, who will go on later to the dance Mrs. Bainbridge is giving at her Brookline home for Miss Mary Burgess. Miss Lovett came out last Winter and is especially distinguished in out-of-door sports and is considered one of the handsomest girls of the younger set.

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The Fusiliers' ball and levee will be held tomorrow evening at the Copley-Plaza. The floor committee is composed of Major James W. H. Myrick, Captain Harry L. Bagley and Captain Albert E. Taylor. Serving on the ball committee are Major George P. Daly, chairman; Captain Charles C. Rogers, secretary; Major James W. H. Myrick, Major W. H. Phinney, Major William J. Gillespie, Captain James L. Molloy, Captain Albert E. Taylor and Lieutenant Charles G. Campbell, treasurer. Many distinguished guests of the army and navy will attend.

Mrs. Waldo Richards will give the second of her Wednesday readings at the home of Mrs. Eben D. Jordan, No. 46 Beacon street, today. The reading will be from the "Poets of Today."

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Mr. and Mrs. Eben Hardy of Wollaston have sent out invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Ruth Louise Hardy, and Professor Cyril Durant Locke of Alberta, which is to take place December 21 in the First Baptist Church.

Tuesday, City Club Night at Opera

Tuesday evening will be City Club night at the Boston Opera House, when Bizet's "Carmen," with Marta Gay in the title role and Messrs. Martin and Mardones as Jose and Escamillo respectively, will be presented.

Eager to show its appreciation of the magnificent offerings presented by Director Rabinoff's company, the City Club has taken the initiative in paying tribute to the management and to the artists. The sale of tickets for the Tuesday evening performance has been opened at the City Club.

Goldman Loses in His $7 Dog Suit

A verdict for the defendant was rendered today in the Superior Civil Court in the suit of Louis B. Goldman of Boston against Frank Gibbons of the West End for $7, in an action of contract about a dog Fido.

Gibbons sold Goldman a dog for $7, but Goldman didn't like him that much and demanded his money back, as he said, according to agreement. Goldman, who was his own counsel, claimed minority at time of contract.

Phillips Brooks' Birthday.

The birthday of Phillips Brooks, Monday, December 13, will be celebrated by a commemorative service in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul.

-the high boot

A Shoe that Combines Style with Comfort

PERHAPS some persons think that because the Dr. Reed Cushion Shoe is built for maximum comfort, it does not reflect a suitable degree of "style."

There is such a thing as combining style with comfort in footwear. This happy combination is found in the Dr. Reed high boot for women.

Dr. A. Reed Cushion Shoes
42 West Street
Boston

MELROSE FINDS IT HAS TOO MUCH MONEY

Melrose city officials have found to their surprise, a surplus in the sinking fund amounting to $37,000. Where the money came from is more or less of a mystery, even to the sinking fund commissioners.

The only explanation that can be offered is that the investment of the money has proved much better than anticipated, and the interest has amounted to more than estimated. Added to this is the interest on the betterments, which becomes payable after three years and which amounts to a considerable sum.

Investigation has also shown an unexpended balance of $7,700 from overlays levied in the budget for the past four or five years. Under the law, this money also goes into the sinking fund.

GASOLINE TAX IN MESSAGE A "FEELER"

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The White House today was eagerly scanning the reports from the country at large to see how the suggestions made by President Wilson in his message regarding revenues were received.

It was admitted that the suggestions for a tax on gasoline and indicated horsepower of automobiles was thrown out more as a feeler than as a direct recommendation.

It was made very plain that so far as the President was concerned, he is not yet ready to ask that this plan be followed. It was suggested to him by Secretary McAdoo and members of the House appropriation committee and he agreed to pass it on to congress for consideration.

Artist Off on 2000 Mile Sail in 12-Foot Boat

Ivar Wilding of Grampian way, Dorchester, came down to the Savin Hill Yacht Club float with his mother at 9:50 today, kissed his mother goodby, jumped into his twelve-foot sailing tender and started off on a 2,000-mile voyage to the Florida Keys and the West Indies in a driving snowstorm.

His mother, Mrs. Rudolph Wilding, watched the tiny craft until it was well out into Dorchester Bay, then returned home. Wilding is an artist, illustrator and yachtsman, member of a Summer street firm. He planned to land at Plymouth for the night and reach Cape Cod Canal tomorrow night.

He does not expect to be back at Boston until Spring.

His twelve-foot craft is cat-rigged, with light bamboo spars. A water-tight hood of canvas buttons around the helmsman's waist, keeping boat and skipper dry in rough weather.

MISS CURTIS ON SCHOOL CARE OF TEETH

"In a short time the teeth of every pupil in the public schools will be filled up and all defects remedied, through the procedure now carried out by the School Committee," said Miss Frances G. Curtis, candidate for re-election to the committee, indorsed by the Public School Association, at several gatherings of school parents this afternoon.

"The teeth of the pupils, the source of most of our evils, according to the best of medical testimony," said Miss Curtis, "are receiving more serious attention than ever before. Backwardness in studies has been traced to bad teeth, and many other delinquencies have been found to have their source in this most common defect in a child. As a result, the School Committee has been making strenuous efforts to overcome the evil.

Filene's a Huge Christmas Tree

PUNCH AND JUDY—Sixth floor, hourly, 11 to 4.
SANTA CLAUS—Third floor.
GREATLY ENLARGED TOY SHOP
Almost half of the entire third floor. Everything from a doll to a battleship.
FILENE GLOVE BONDS AND GIFT BONDS
Solve many hundreds of problems yearly where sizes are not known.
CHRISTMAS GOODS EXCHANGED UP TO JAN. 8
This is an exception to our seven-day exchange rule and applies only to merchandise bought for Christmas gifts.
THE CHRISTMAS CORNER
On the Balcony. Here gift packages may be daintily wrapped and addressed for shipment by mail or express, shipping rates ascertained, packages held for future shipment. This service is free.
CHRISTMAS TAGS, SEALS, RIBBONS, GIFT CARDS
May be purchased on the street floor.

WOMEN'S FUR SHOP

The Filene Guarantee of Quality should be on your **Gift Furs**

This is a season when one cannot be too careful in buying furs. Gift furs must be perfect. Fur prices have climbed so rapidly that only expert and conscientious dealers have been able to maintain qualities.

No mystery here about furs. All are sold for exactly what they are. Information regarding service and other qualities of different furs is freely given.

All of these are excellent values in Filene's guaranteed furs:

FUR COATS
Hudson Seal (seal dyed muskrat) coats, plain, $62.50.
Hudson Seal coats, skunk trimmed, $100.
Hudson Seal coats, beaver trimmed, $125.
Hudson Seal coats, sable trimmed, $125.
Persian Lamb coats, $150.
Caracul coats, $50.
Natural Muskrat coats, $62.50.
Raccoon coats, $62.50.

FUR MUFFS.
Black skunk, $12.50.
Natural skunk, $18.50.
Natural raccoon, $15.
Hudson seal, $18.50.
Black lynx, $25. Beaver, $18.50.
Black fox, $25. Mink, $37.50.

FUR SETS
Natural raccoon, $22.50
Black wolf, $25.
Black lynx, $50.
Taupe wolf, $37.50.
Cross fox, $100.
Black fox, $37.50.
Blue fox, $100.

Misses' Fur Sets and Muffs—Sixth Floor. Men's Fur and Fur-Lined Coats—Second Floor. Fur Trimmings—Sixth Floor.
(Filene's—Mail Orders Filled—Sixth Floor)

Man-Gifts

Bath Robes $3.95
Silk corded, which is very unusual at this price.
Others, $2.95 to $15.

House Coats $3.95
Silk cord or cloth and silk cord edge. Good to look at, better to wear.
Others, $4.95 to $15.
(Filene's—Mail Orders Filled—Second Floor)

TOY

"NOTHING UP MY SLEEVES BUT MY ELBOWS"
Says the man with the Mystic Magic, and out pops four balls where there was only one!
Any boy can do it. Mystic Magic outfits beginning at 50c.

"WHO'S BEEN SITTING IN MY CHAIR?"
and you stand the Great Big Bear's chair in front of him. When you finish the story there it is before you—the Three Bears—Golden Locks—and every bit of it. The Moriater with cut-outs that stand alone to illustrate the story of the Three Bears is $1.

Baby dolls that creep alone, $1.50.
Bunnies, ducks, cats and dogs that walk and talk, 50c.
Kiddie Kars any youngster can make go, in the house or on the sidewalk, $1 to $2.75.
Erectors, 50c to $25.
Doll carriages beginning at $2.

Books, games, dolls, furniture, boats—almost every worth-while toy under the sun, from 10c to $50

SANTA CLAUS IS IN THE TOY SHOP, AS FAT AND ROSY AS EVER, AND HE WANTS TO SEE EVERY KIDDIE.
Third Floor

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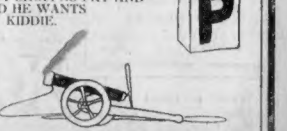

FORD PEACE PARTY SPLITS ON WILSON DEFENCE MESSAGE

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this assemblage: this is a reactionary message," said Jones.

"We are going abroad now on a mission to stop a terrible war among nations, everyone of which is prepared in a military way for war. This is no time to disturb American traditions and prepare us for war."

"I call your attention to the preparation for peace that now exists in the United States and Canada, where there are no forts, no soldiers, no trenches or guns. That preparation for peace is about a century old.

"A preparation for peace exists between Sweden and Norway. There is not fort on their frontiers. That is the kind of preparation we need now in America.

"America is in danger, says the President, but he does not say of what she is in danger. The President did not mention a single nation that he dares to say is an enemy of the United States.

"The United States is in danger from within and naturalized citizens are not the source of the danger. They are native citizens who are building battleships at tremendous profit; men who are trying now to add to the burden of taxation and to mortgage posterity for years to come to fasten this dreadful military burden upon us."

Applause interrupted the speaker when he said:

"It may be true that every mollycoddle is a pacificist, but it is not true that every pacificist is a mollycoddle, and this we are going to show President Wilson and the armament trust of the United States before we are through.

"It is not true, perhaps, that every one in the United States who favors preparedness is a grafter, but nothing can be truer than that every grafter in the United States is in favor of preparedness."

Cheers greeted Mr. Jones' concluding statement that the peace expedition would not vest for national efficiency and security by turning over the public treasury "to a lot of profiteers who are not actuated by the slightest patriotic impulse whatever."

In his opening address Dr. Aked paid a high tribute to Mr. Ford for organizing the peace expedition.

"What is to come from this mission of ours I do not know," he said. "Until Saturday I never saw Mr. Ford. I do not know his plans. I do not know what we are setting out to accomplish. I do not know how we propose to accomplish it. But I am as certain as I am of my own existence that some lasting good, and only good will come from it.

AKED BRINGS PEACE.

Mme. Rosika Schwimmer, the peace leader whose efforts caused Mr. Ford to organize the peace mission, who also spoke at the mass meeting, told the delegates that she had received letters from belligerents on both sides expressing a desire that neutrals hold a conference in an effort to bring about peace.

The newspaper correspondents with the party requested that they be shown the letters. This started a discussion, pro and con, till Aked proclaimed himself a true pacificist by suggesting a compromise.

"Everybody has a right to see the evidence," he asserted. "Though they come on faith, they should know all that it is to be known."

He then suggested that the reporters appoint a committee to inspect the letters. This suggestion was adopted, and Miss Schwimmer promised to show the evidence confidentially.

EUROPEAN POWERS WON'T BELIEVE FORD, DECLARES NICHOLS

President Ernest Fox Nichols of Dartmouth says that the mistake Henry Ford made in his "ark of peace" movement was in not getting government action. He thinks Ford is sincere and may interest the powers, but they will not believe him. President Nichols was quoted today as saying:

"In Hyde Park, London, not many years ago, I came across a street agitator addressing a crowd of citizens. They were listening eagerly to his utterances, which were decidedly anarchistic.

"I was surprised that no attempt was made to stop him, especially when I noticed a bobby nearby, who was paying small attention. Finally I questioned the latter, and he turned to me with a look of surprise and said: 'Lord, sir, ye don't think they believe him?'

"That's about the way the European powers will regard Mr. Ford's peace party, I believe. They may listen to him with what may appear to be interest, but they won't believe him. I can't see where the party will do much good at present, but later on it may be good to have some people on the ground.

TWO MORE WOMEN ROBBED BY DARING BOSTON HIGHWAYMEN

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inches tall and weighing about 150 pounds.

The police have already found a clew to this man in the South End and feel confident of capturing him.

They are also looking for a Roxbury man who has a State prison record, having served time for holdups. Special Officer Michael Hartnett of Roxbury Crossing station seeks this man to make him tell where he was last night. Mrs. Haynes was attacked and robbed.

The Lookner robbery in the West End came to light today. The men were standing on the street.

As Mrs. Lookner approached them they asked her for information about some families in the house. They then demanded money. She stated that she had none. One man then held her while the other searched her pockets.

They found no money. Her earrings were noticed by one of the men. He then demanded them. As Mrs. Lookner approached them they removed her hip pockets. They pressed them against Mrs. Lookner's side while she unfastened the rings.

LEFT IMITATIONS.

As the men started to leave the hallway one of them said: "Here is your jewelry, it is no good to us." With this he threw a few trinkets on the floor. When Mrs. Lookner picked them up she found them to be cheap imitation diamonds. Mrs. Lookner was found in a hysterical condition lying in the hallway. She was taken to her home, where she was attended by a doctor.

Since Friday Mrs. Lookner has been confined to her bed. She is the mother of four children, the oldest being six years, and the youngest six months.

As a result of this affair terror reigns among the Jewish colony. The women are afraid to wear their jewelry on the street. Their doors are kept locked. There has been a number of petty larcenies about the district, according to several of the women.

Mrs. Lookner said today:

"I should know those two men if I ever saw them again. One was a Polish fellow, the other a Jewish young man. Both were soft hats. The Pole had three or four coats on, also a lightcolored jumper. The Jewish man, small, were dark clothes and an overcoat. He talked to me in Jewish.

"I managed to save $100 worth of rings by putting my hands in my coat pocket and loosening my finger rings. These they did not get. I was afraid they would kill me if I screamed. Their revolvers were right against my side.

FAINTED AGAIN.

"I just remember their throwing my mean stuff they said was my jewelry. I felt so glad to think they had returned it I must have fainted. When I found out that the jewelry was of the ten cent variety I fainted again.

While Mrs. Haynes was taken to the City Hospital, where she had only brief spells of consciousness, police were scouring the neighborhood. The search extended wider and wider as a general alarm was sent out. The death of Mrs. Haynes increased the activity of the search.

The attack was one of the boldest and most vicious in the city's history.

Mrs. Haynes was unable to give a description of her assailant. The police have a description of the handbag taken by the murderer. Those men watching the pawnshops and other places where the fugitive might try to dispose of the bag or any of its contents.

TELLS OF FINDING WOMAN.

Mrs. Haynes occupied a suite on the first floor of the Delle avenue house and lived alone. Last Monday evening she left to attend a meeting of the Daughters of St. George in a hall on Huntington avenue. She was accompanied by Mrs. Cook, who lives nearby.

Mrs. Cook accompanied Mrs. Haynes back from the meeting and left her at 10 Delle avenue, Parker street.

"I'll get home before you," is what Mrs. Cook says Mrs. Haynes declared when they parted.

"I heard a commotion in the hallway below," said Mrs. Keough, who was in bed at the time. I got up and dressed. I opened my door and looked down stairs. The light was burning in the lower hallway. I saw a woman covered with blood. She was crying or moaning. I did not know who she was.

"I sent and daughter had got out of be-" by this time. I told them about the strange woman in the lower hallway. They went to her assistance and brought her up to our home. There I found that the woman was Mrs. Haynes.

THREE GASHES IN HEAD.

"My son telephoned to the police station and summoned Dr. Thomas H. O'Connor. Mrs. Haynes was then taken in the ambulance to the hospital."

Harry Joyce, who lives in suite 5, assisted John Keough and his sister, Joyce says he was attracted by the cries of Mrs. Haynes, and on looking below, saw her clinging to the balustrade, her face covered with blood.

"What's the matter?" I asked her," said Joyce.

"Oh, I lost my key," she said." Oh, they stole my purse."

"There were three gashes in her head, from which blood was flowing. By the look of her hat I should say the gashes were made by the steel mat, which was found rolled up against the street door. The door was closed. It appeared to me as if Mrs. Haynes had been down the hallway and had returned, for there were bloodstains.

"She was able to speak for a time. She finally said they asked her if a man named Smith lived in the house. I'm sure she said Smith, not Jones. I'm not positive, though, if she said he' or 'they' had asked her about Smith. She did not talk coherently.

An elderly man on the first floor, in front of whose apartment the robbery was committed, said he and his family were in bed at the time, heard the commotion outside, paid no attention and did not know of the occurrence of the trouble until late in the day.

Mrs. Stuart, another occupant of the house, said her husband recently met Mrs. Haynes as he was coming out of the cellar and asked her if she had broken the staple on her shed door in the basement. Mrs. Haynes said she hadn't. My husband said he saw the staple pulled out of her shed door.

Mrs. Stuart also told of the visit of two young men, to the basement of the house that day to "fix the water pipes." She said Mr. Lewis, the janitor, who always looked after repairs of that nature, had told her that he had ordered no men to do such work.

"Nevertheless," said Mrs. Stuart, "the two young men had wrenches and were working on the pipes. They said they had been ordered to mend the leaky pipes. It was that night my husband found the staple on Mrs. Haynes' shed torn off.

POLICE BEGIN PROBE.

Mrs. Stuart told of her own shed being opened by someone. She declared that her preserves had not been removed.

"Some time ago," she added, "a plumber had a quantity of new lead pips stored in one of the sheds. My impression is that whoever opened the sheds was looking for that pipe. The day the plumber took the lead pipe away the staples on the sheds were all right.

That the incident of the staple being removed from her shed had left an impression on the mind of Mrs. Haynes is evident by the fact that she related the incident to some of her neighbors.

Mrs. Della Burke, who keeps a grocery store in the basement of No. 59 Delle avenue, said:

"Mrs. Haynes last Saturday remarked to me that she was going to the cellar and met Mr. Stuart coming up the stairs. She told me he asked her if she had left her shed open. She said she hadn't."

Captain Jeremiah Galliven of the Roxbury Crossing station is leaving no stone untured to run down the murderer of Mrs. Haynes. He is assisted by Inspector George Patterson, Sergeants John Mullen and Edward H. Ryan and Special Officers Charles J. Wallace and Michael Hartnett.

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British Again Beaten; 2 Ships Taken by Turks

By International News Service.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 8.—Dispatches received today from the Turkish front in Mesopotamia indicate that the British have been driven from their positions at Kut-el-Amara, the place to which they retired after being decisively defeated in the Tigris valley, east of Ctesiphon.

A British monitor near Kut-el-Amara was set on fire by the Turkish artillery and two more British vessels were captured. On board of one of these the Turks found two aeroplanes, making six in all that they have captured on the Irak front.

The War Office reports severe fighting around Kut-el-Amara, with the Turks trying to cut off the retreat of the British.

Ella Flagg Young Retires from Work

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, for many years superintendent of the Chicago public schools and a widely known educator, retired today at the age of 71. She began her career in the public schools 57 years ago today as a cadet. Mrs. Young tonight will leave for California for a long rest. The Board of Education is expected to elect John D. Shoop, now assistant to Mrs. Young, as superintendent of schools.

Want $1,000,000 Gold Restored

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A request for restitution of $1,000,000 in gold shipped from New York on the Dutch liner Noordaam to the Netherlands Overseas Trust and seized by a British cruiser in the North Sea, has been made to the British Embassy by a representative of Goldman, Sachs & Co. of New York. Great Britain holds the gold was contraband of war.

Boston College Freshmen Elect

Thomas A. Gatley of Roxbury has been elected president of the freshman class at Boston College. Edward F. Bennet of Brockton has been named vice-president, Edward Roland of Roxbury, secretary, and William Wall of East Boston, treasurer.

Woman Sues Hotel.

SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 8.—Miss Kathleen Geagan of Boston has brought suit against Charles T. Sheehan, proprietor of Cooley's Hotel, to recover $2,000. She alleges that she was a guest of the hotel and was attacked and annoyed by a guest an dan employe.

U. S. OIL STEAMER REPORTED SUNK IS NOW SAID TO BE SAFE

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ranean. Officials did not attach importance to the despatch in view of the later press reports today that the vessel was safe. It was thought Ambassador Page's cable was filed yesterday.

Administration officials indicated that the proposed note to Austria will be a long document, covering the attack on the Ancona, and setting forth in full this government's position in regard to submarine warfare.

It was stated that the notes which this government sent to Germany on the Lusitania case and other submarine attacks were regarded as affecting only that country. This government does not take the stand that Austria has official knowledge of the position of the United States as a result of the notes to Germany.

DEMAND DISAVOWAL.

It was indicated that a disavowal by Austria with reparation for the loss of American lives will satisfy this government. In the event that any more American vessels are attacked, however, or any American lives lost, in unwarned attacks on liners, it was made plain that serious consequences would follow.

Marine agents in London stated that as the Commulpaw arrived at Alexandria on Sunday it would have been impossible for the vessel to discharge its cargo and reach the vicinity of Tobruk, Tripoli, by Tuesday, the day when it was reported to have sunk, even by sailing at full speed.

Tobruk is about 200 miles westnorthwest of Alexandria. The usual route followed by steamers westward bound from Alexandria runs about sixty miles from Tobruk.

Roma dispatches, based upon information from the American embassy in that city, saying that the Commulpaw had been torpedoed and sunk were flatly contradicted this afternoon by reports that the vessel had reached an Egyptian port.

At 1:49 p. m. the Central News Agency at London gave out the foreign announcement. "We are officially informed that the Commulpaw has been sunk in the Mediterranean near Tobruk, Tripoli.

Thomas Nelson Page, American ambassador to Italy, today requested the government to make every possible effort to ascertain the fate of the crew in case the Commulpaw was sunk.

The meagre details that reached the American embassy said that the Commulpaw sank a few minutes after it was torpedoed, as two vessels caught a distress call sent from the steamer, but were unable to find any trace of the crew. The first rescue ship to reach the scene was an Italian steamer, the report said.

This was followed shortly by a destroyer, which the reports received by the embassy described as a Greek ship, though no reason for a Greek destroyer being near the Tripolitan coast is known.

FLEW AUSTRIAN FLAG.

A dispatch from the cruiser Des Moines came from Canea, Island of Crete, and reported that the following message had been picked up Sunday:

"American steamship Petrolite, Alexandria to New York, attacked by a submarine this (Sunday) morning at 6:20, longitude 32.25 north, latitude 26.8 west. One man was seriously injured."

The commander of the cruiser said he had obtained from the commander of the Petrolite the additional information that the submarine which attacked the American steamer flew an Austrian flag and "looked like a big cruiser." The man who was wounded was struck by a fragment of an explosive shell fired from the submarine. The attack took place about 250 miles west of Alexandria and just off the distant end of the Island of Crete, distant about 120 miles.

The message made no mention of damage to the steamer, nor did it give the nationality of the man injured, but said the injuries were slight.

The Petrolite sailed from New York November 7 for Alexandria, Egypt. She passed Gibraltar November 21.

The consular message were communicated by the Navy Department to the State Department.

The Petrolite left New York two weeks ago with oil. She carried a crew of twenty-five men.

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How long do you think this small lot will last?

$7 New Mixture Coats $7

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—Some with large fur collars.
—Belts, fancy pockets, fancy buttons, deep turnback cuffs.
—For women to wear motoring or shopping.

600 Prs. of Women's Full Fashioned Silk Hosiery 50c

Lisle reinforced where the wear comes; black, or white, irregular quality.

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$10.50

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Boys' or Girls' Rain Coats $1.25

Tan, double texture coats, a similar lot sold during one day last week; sizes 6 to 14 yrs.

Just 72 Women's Night Gowns 50c

Of cambric, round neck style — trimmed with dainty embroidery, ribbon run.

Small Lot of Women's Blanket Bath Robes $1.45

Similar at $2.00 A. M.—Choice early—variety of shades and patterns—round cut, have pockets and tassel fastening.

Just 40 Silk Dresses $6.25

For Women and Misses

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Is it comfortable to your throat and tongue—free from bite or hotness?

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"Come in today and ask about our guarantee on D. D. D. Also about D. D. D. Soap, that keeps the skin healthy, or write for free trial bottle. D. D. D. Laboratories, Chicago, Ill., Dept. 215. 25 cent sizes. Large Drug Stores.

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P. J. HALVOSA OF THE AMERICAN IS DEAD

Phillip J. Halvosa, City Hall reporter for the AMERICAN and well known in labor circles, is dead at his home, No. 232 Whitwell street, Quincy, in his forty-sixth year, of pneumonia. He leaves a wife.

He was born in Cornwall, England, and came to this country with his parents when sixteen. His early education was received in the public schools at Cornwall. He finished his grammar school education in Quincy. He received a classical education from tutors.

At an early age Mr. Halvosa became interested in the granite cutting trade and went to work for a Quincy concern. He served an apprenticeship of four years, and on receiving his journeyman's card became prominent in the affairs of the Granite Cutters' Union. He was a gifted speaker and his talent in that direction won him the position of general organizer of the Granite Cutters' Union.

ORGANIZED STONE CUTTERS.

His position as organizer of the Granite Cutters' Union brought him in contact with quarryman in most of the New England States. While in Barre, Vt., he became acquainted with prominent labor leaders, and liked the place so well that he accepted a position there.

It was in Barre that Mr. Halvosa entered the newspaper business. He did locals for the Vermont Signal. His reportorial work gave him such His reportorial work gave him such a wide range of experience that the management of the paper made him editor, a position he held for twelve years.

Mr. Halvosa had a liking for Quincy and he gave up his position on the Signal to accept a business offer in that city. But the newspaper work appealed to him and he became a member of the editorial staff of the AMERICAN.

He later became Labor Editor of the AMERICAN, and as such covered many of the big labor conventions for this paper in various parts of the country. He also wrote a number of special articles on the labor situation, and in addition covered many big court cases.

DELEGATE TO THE C. L. U.

While covering labor assignments Mr. Halvosa became a member of Newspaper Writers' Union No. 1, and several years ago was elected financial secretary. He was a delegate to the Central Labor Union and also a delegate to the conventions of the Allied Printing Trade Councils.

Within two years his sons, Phillip, Jr., nineteen, and Walter, seventeen, died. So did his mother. These deaths caused him much grief. His last act was to place a monument over the grave of his mother and sons. He designed the monument and often remarked that it was a fitting tribute to the ones he held dear.

The monument was of the type known as "Rock of Ages." It showed a figure of a woman clinging to a cross.

Besides a widow, Mr. Halvosa leaves two sisters and three brothers. He was a member of the Sons of St. George, Newspaper Writers' Union No. 1 of Boston, delegate to the Central Labor Union and International Typographical Union.

The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon. There will be a brief service at the house at 1:15 and services at Christ Episcopal Church, Quincy, at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in the cemetery at Quincy, where Mr. Halvosa's sons are buried.

Obregon Attacks Rodriguez Force

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Dec. 8.—A battle between Carranza forces and Villa troops under General Jose Rodriguez is in progress near Esqueda, Sonora, according to official reports received at Agua Prieta. General Obregon's army made a forced march from Frontera last night and attacked the Rodriguez forces at dawn today.

Joy Urges Nation to Hold Trade Lead

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Benjamin Joy, vice-president of the National Shawmut Bank of Boston, speaking before the International Trade Conference here, declared that America holds the leading position in the world in regard to foreign trade. He said the leadership could be maintained only by the exercise of the most careful methods.

Says Medford Mayor Refuses Him Permit

Chairman Volpe of the Medford Board of Aldermen said today that Mayor Haines of that city refused him a blanket permit for campaign speaking, but that some candidates friendly to the Mayor are not thus restricted.

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Children Will March Saturday in 'Dry' Parade

Dorchester children are arranging a "dry" street parade for next Saturday to help the no-license cause. The children figure on influencing a lot of votes to the "dry" column at next Tuesday's city election. The youngsters will wear no-license buttons and carry banners with "dry" slogans.

That evening there will be an auto parade for "grown-ups." Major Dan Morgan Smith, a leader in the no-licenses movement, says the "kids" will get a big hand. Major Dan speaks tonight in Howe Hall, Huntington avenue.

Nation's Need Police, Says Frothingham

In a letter to the Harvard Crimson, Louis A. Frothingham, former Lieutenant Governor, says "there is no danger of this country engaging in an aggressive war, because we are too isolated and all we desire is to be left alone.

"Surely if we need a police force to protect us from internal trouble, we need one proportionally large to protect us from foreign aggression. If we ever are to arrive at the age of a compulsory international peace tribunal, or supreme court of the nations, we must have sufficient force to help guarantee support to the enforcement of its decrees."

Fail to Find Body of Ferryboat Suicide

An all night search by the Harbor Police failed to reveal any trace of the body of the unidentified man, who is believed to have committed suicide by leaping into the harbor from the rear of the ferryboat Dartmouth at the East Boston slip. Nobody saw the man jump, but William Finlayson of Revere and another passenger claim to have seen him in the water. They stated that they unfastened a lifepreserver and threw it to him. He could have reached it readily, but made no effort to get it.

Attempt to Wreck New York Express

STEUBENVILLE, O., Dec. 8.—A rigid investigation is being made today into an attempt to wreck the St. Louis-New York flyer, east bound, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Unionport, seventeen miles west of here, last night. A track-walker found a heavy steel rail chained to the tracks. He succeeded in removing the obstruction just as the train was whistling for the tunnel, at the mouth of which the rail was chained.

Held on Charge of Shooting at Girl

LOWELL, Dec. 8.—William Dambois, twenty-four, charged with assault with intent to murder his former sweetheart, Odile Berube, seventeen, pleaded guilty in court and was held in $6,000. Last night, the police charge, Dambois waited in an alley and as the girl passed him, fired three shots at her.

Music Lecture at Dorchester High

An illustrated lecture on "Music in America" will be given this evening at 8 o'clock in the Dorchester High School under the direction of the Dorchester High School Evening Centre. Mrs. May Sleeper Ruggles, contralto, assisted by Miss Margaret E. Ruggles, soprano, will give several musical selections.

West End Man Dies from Gas Poisoning

Patrick Reenan, fifty, of No. 36 Stanford street, West End, died at the Relief Hospital today as a result of gas poisoning. He was found unconscious in bed early today by a lodger who was trying to locate a gas leak. Reenan's door was opened. Gas was flowing freely.

Held Upon Charge of Forging Check

Charged with forging and uttering a check for $1,025, Edward Schrank, forty, was held in $5,000 for a hearing on Dec. 14 in the East Boston court today.

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WOMEN DEMAND WIDER VOTING PRIVILEGE

A number of Cambridge's women voters will appear before Judge Pierce in the Supreme Court Friday morning in favor of a petition brought by them on a writ of mandamus against Edward J. Brandon, city clerk of Cambridge, to compel him to put the names of all candidates for the school committee and Mayor on the special ballot for women at the election in Cambridge.

The petitioners are Edna Lawrence Spencer, Mary Ware Allen, Elizabeth Hoar Storer, A. Louise Harlow and Elizabeth A. Jones. They are petitioning as "female citizens of the city of Cambridge, each having the qualifications of a male voter and each having her name entered upon the list of voters for the school committee in the said city, and each having a right to vote for members of the said city under the provisions of the Statutes of 1912, and more particularly Section 13 of Part 1 thereof."

Under Plan B of the city charter, accepted by the voters of Cambridge at the last State election, candidates are elected to the school committee, with the Mayor as chairman ex-officio. Six other members are chosen by the voters.

The women who are petitioning claim they also have a right to vote for the chairman of the school committee, as well as the six members.

Workman Falls to Death Off Staging

Thomas DePristus, 35, of No. 349 Chelsea street, East Boston, was killed today when he slipped and fell fifty feet from a staging. He was working on a tank being constructed at No. 529 Commercial avenue.

Somerville Man Charges Alienation

Alleging the alienation of his wife's affection, Martin E. Oakes of Somerville today, through his attorneys, Russell, Moore & Russell of Boston, filed papers in a suit for $10,000 against William F. Sullivan of Somerville.

Teacher Who Cut Throat Dying.

Miss Maud E. McClure of Lynn, formerly a teacher in the John A. Andrew School, South Boston, who attempted suicide last week by slashing her throat in Brockton, is dying at the Brockton Hospital. She has lapsed into unconsciousness early today.

Christmas Gifts
At Popular Prices

Diamond Ring Specials
$25 to $100
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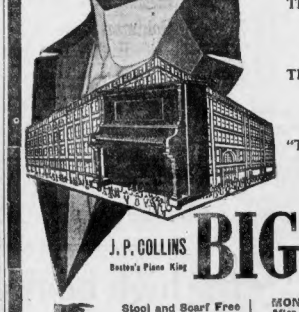

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HOW DR. MOHR GOT RICH ON NEWPORT SOCIETY WOMEN

Tragic Life Story of Mrs. Mohr, Wife Now Accused as Slayer

CHAPTER II.

THE SHATTERED DREAM.

When Betty Blair had become the wife of Dr. C. Franklin Mohr, she and Dr. Mohr settled down to a steady, active life in Providence. They were happy; and the measure of their happiness was the measure of their love. Their devotion at that time cannot be questioned; for theirs had been a marriage where love overruled all obstacles, stopped at nothing—literally, "knew no locksmiths". They married in spite of the world, in spite of convention, in spite of everything—save their great love.

That the doctor was so happy as Betty, his wife; that her love for him was returned in full measure, is evidenced by the utterances of his later life. Florence Ormsby, who turned toward the last was his secretary, had said:

"The doctor told me they were very happy at the start; but he said his wife became very suspicious and jealous, and that these traits steadily grew and made his home life unbearable."

Mrs. Mohr likewise has borne testimony to their early happiness. She said recently:

"We were so happy at first. We had everything one could desire; and presently the two wonderful children came to us. Oh, I loved him so. I lived for him and the children; he always knew that when he returned home, I would be waiting for him. I always met him with loving eagerness."

THEN JEALOUSY CREPT INTO THE HAPPY HOME.

But this idyllic existence did not endure. Just what was the rift within the lute cannot be certainly established. It may have been the unstable nature of Dr. Mohr, to which there is abundant evidence. It may have been that the too great devotion of his girl-wife eventually cloyed with its' sweetness, till he "sickened with loathed satiety." Or it may have been that circumstance which has wrecked so many homes—the apparently inevitable jealousy that afflicts the wife of a physician.

There can be no doubt that Mrs. Mohr was jealous; nor can it be doubted that Dr. Mohr gave her reason. Whether her jealousy drove him to his offenses; or whether his actions inspired her jealousy is a matter for dispute.

One woman who knew both well has said:

"Part of the time Mrs. Mohr was happy with him. Most of the time she was wretched. Part of the fault was here. If she had understood the doctor, she might have managed him differently.

"Dr. Mohr was a man who would give a woman a dimond necklace one day, and tear it from her neck, the next. He was handsome, affable, careful of the little details of dress and manner which so appeal to women, but cold as ice, and possessed of a cruelty incarnate."

And this same friend added:

"Mrs. Mohr made the fatal mistake of nagging her husband. He used to say that she though he was in love with every woman patient he had."

C. Manning Mohr, son of the slain man by his first wife, defended his father's memory.

"My father had his faults, like many another," he said, "but he was a good father. He always spent money like water. He had been through two or three fortunes."

In this statement by the son, there is a clew to the doctor's character that in part explains the developement which inaugurated the more serious discords in the Mohr family.

Dr. Mohr had expensive tastes. "Dr. Mohr," said one man, "was very fond to show and display. Whatever was his, he wanted to be of the best. Every thing he did was done in a showy, elaborate, lavish way."

Miss Emily G. Burger, former secretary of Dr. C. Franklin Mohr, the slain Providence physician, who was shot and wounded the night the doctor was killed from ambush while motoring to his Newport villa. Miss Burger is scheduled to appear as the State's star witness at the coming trial of the doctor's widow and the three negroes who are jointly charged with his murder. Miss Burger's memory of the tragedy is said to be somewhat affected as a result of her own wounds. Despite this fact, however, the State expects to find her a valuable aid in proving its case against the defendants.

"MADE A FORTUNE OUT OF NEWPORT SOCIETY."

Now these expensive tastes were difficult of satisfaction from the moderate income of a general practitioner; and such was Dr. Mohr during the early years of his life with Betty Blair Mohr. It was his desire for more money, coupled with his discovery that in one path of his profession, money came easily, that led him to specialize in the work that proved his destruction.

Mrs. Mohr has been quoted as saying on this point:

"I tried to get him to pull away from a dangerous practice. He made a fortune out of Newport society women. I was always afraid he would be caught; and I pleaded with him to quit his dangerous ways."

Dr. Mohr and Betty Blair, according to Mrs. Mohr's statement, were married twelve years ago, or in 1903. Between that year and 1908 he entered the new field of practice, and by 1908 he had become moderately successful, his reputation was spreading, and money was flowing into his hands.

The periods in which Mrs. Mohr still clung to her husband's love with the faith of a devoted wife extends to 1911. The practical culmination of her years of happiness—though mixed happiness even with these—came at Christmas of that year.

But the years between had been marked by vicissitudes, by discordant scenes, by passionate denunciations on her part, and by angry, scornful admissions and defiances on his.

"Mrs. Mohr never had to seek information about her husband's amours," said one friend. "He told her about them in the stormy scenes which became frequent between them."

Mrs Mohr thus told of the first incident which by her own eyes she was convinced of her husband's wrong-doing. She may have suspected before, but—

"The disgrace of it when it came nearly broke my heart," she said. "One night I sat in a box at the theatre, alone. I was dumfounded when I saw the party in the box opposite. There was my husband and a man friend, with two women who looked just what they were.

"I LOVED MY HUSBAND AND HOPED TO WIN HIM BACK"

"My first impulse was to leave the theatre immediately; but something held me. Then people in the audience began to notice the gay party and to notice me. He was all attentiveness to the women; they were getting attention that was rightfully mine. The audience looked from him to me and whispered—I could imagine what! Oh, the shame of it.

"Many women, facing such a situation, would have chosen an independant life and abandoned the attempt to keep up the semblance of married happiness. But Mrs. Mohr was of a different fibre; and she loved him.

"I loved my home, and my children, and I loved my husband," she said. "Oh, I loved my husband, and I hoped to win him back."

And again she said:

"His family loved me and wanted me to leave him; I loved him and hoped that he would do better."

Their first open break appears to have come over the question of their property. Upon their marriage, he had put what he possessed in her name, and it remained so for some years.

"Title was in my name during the first part of our marriage," she explained. "But he said he would kill me if I did not turn it over to him. He was a desperate man, and he didn't care what he did. I was always afraid of him.

"Then, too, he said he would be good if I assigned all property to him. For a time afterward, he was. Then he began to beat me again, and to go with fast women."

The petition for separate maintenance filed by Mrs. Mohr recites a number of the doctor's outrages against her, and gives some vision of what the woman suffered for her devotion.

"Early in 1909," Mrs. Mohr declared in the petition, "the doctor struck me, without warning, while we were at dinner. It was a terrible beating. Her blackened my right eye and made my arms and body black and blue.

BEATEN FOR STAYING WITH DYING MOTHER.

"The next day, he drove me out, and because of his cruelty I was forced to remain away till May. I became so run down in health that I had to go a sanitarium in Adams, Mass. I stayed there three weeks.

"The day after my mother died, in June, 1909, the doctor gave me another terrible beating. This was because I remained at my mother's bedside instead of keeping an appointment with him. He choked me so I had difficulty in eating for a long time. Three years ago, he kicked me and the injury has remained until today."

The period up till 1908 was the period in which the doctor entered upon the line of practice which brought him in touch with thousands of women patients in Providence and Newport.

The extent of this practice, as outlined since his death, is amazing. He gave up general practice altogether for it. There are those in Providence who say his patients numbered from twelve to fifteen hunbred a year. They came from every grade of society; from the little mill girl seeking to conceal the consequence of an error, to the Newport society matron anxious to avoid the responsibilities of matrimony.

Dr. Mohr appears to have welcomed these patients indiscriminately. For his practice he had no fixed fee. He never refused a case. He was satisfied with what the patient felt she could pay. As for his higher fees, one man estimated them as ranging "from $1,500 to $10,000." On this matter, Mrs. Mohr herself has said:

"Some Newport women paid him as high as $5,000 for what he did for them."

It is this phase of the doctor's activities which are responsible for the wide, unspoken interest in the case against his wife. For a physician's cashbooks, with the records of his practice, may make damaging reading. It is an open secret that many a skeleton in the closet rattled ominously at news the physician was dead; and that his effects had been seized by the law.

C. Manning Mohr says: "It is untrue that my father's practice was illegitimate. True, nearly all his patients were women, and those whom he treated in Newport paid him large fees. But he never did anything criminal."

WAS CAREFUL TO AVOID ANY TELLTALE RECORDS.

Mrs. Mohr, however, is quoted as making the point blank statement:

"My husband's practice was criminal."

Attorney Arthur Cushing, Mrs. Mohr's counsel, says: "The doctor never kept any record of his cases other than financial memoranda."

But Miss Florence Ormsby, who was the physician's secretary, says that Dr. Mohr did keep a record. She thus describes his system:

"When I heard the doctor was dead, I hurried to his office. I was anxious to get the doctor's little book. He had cautioned me to be careful of that and the slips.

"The little book was in his desk. In a pigeon hole were about fifteen slips bearing the names and addresses or telephone numbers of women and girl patients.

"Dr. Mohr's system was never to keep names or addresses of patients in books. He kept them on slips. In a little red book he kept the amount paid by different patients.

"He had a way of listing accounts which enabled him to keep track of payments. For example, he kept the telephone numbers or addresses on slips and he would keep corresponding entries in the red book. Nothing in the shape of tell-tale records was thus available."

As a further light on the doctor's practice, there is the statement of his wife:

"Some of the doctor's patients were also his victims." She cited the case of a certain young girl to prove this statement.

In 1905, C. Franklin Mohr, Jr., had been born. Virginia Blair Mohr was born in 1908.

In 1908, two events occurred of importance in the life of Dr. and Mrs. Mohr. He was sued by the Prudential Life Insurance Company, on the charge of having fraudulently obtained a life insurance policy for $5,000 for Joseph Hennon of North Adams, a nephew of his wife, who died in June of that year.

Mrs. Mohr staunchly supported her husband at this time, and he won the suit.

It was in 1908 that he bought a home in Newport, a modest cottage on Merton Road, and there he lived during the three subsequent years, save for the time spent at the Providence house.

NEWPORT HOUSE AN XMAS GIFT TO WIFE.

Thus far in their lives, Mrs. Mohr devotedly loved her husband, while his conduct toward her was fluctuating. At one time he abused her; then for a period he would treat her with all tenderness. In December, 1911, this paragraph appeared in the newspapers:

"Dr. C. F. Mohr has purchased 'Montpelier', the Blanchard Perry place in Newport, as a Christmas present for his wife."

The place had been owned by the Blanchard Perrys of No. 49 Commonwealth avenue, Boston. It was a magnificent present to Betty Blair Mohr; but it marked almost the last trace of Dr. Mohr's old-time affection for her. Thereafter, their life together was to rush toward the rocks of ruin.

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Assert Teutons Attacked Hospital

By International News Service.

HAVRE, France, Dec. 8.—Hospitals behind the Belgian frontier conducted by Queen Elizabeth have been attacked five times by German aviators, according to information reaching the Belgian government today. In the air raids last week German bombs killed 102 soldiers, but the Queen refuses to leave her post.

The Weather a Year Ago Today
Cloudy. Temperature: High 37, Low 27.—remember Eastern Boston Outdoor comes a cold in one day. Use Hall's Cold Remedy. Look for signature E. W. GROVE. 25c.—Adv.

Germans Claim New Champagne Victory

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—Marked progress by the German troops attacking the French in Champagne was announced by the War Office today. It was also stated that in the capture of the Montesegrin town of Ipek eighty cannon and a large quantity of war material were taken.

The following official report from the General Staff was issued today:

"Balkan theatre of war—Eighty cannon and a large quantity of war material were taken when Ipek fell into our hands. Two thousand more prisoners were captured yesterday."

643 British Killed In Ctesiphon Fight

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Official announcement was made in the House of Commons today that the British lost 643 men in killed and 2,339 in wounded in the battle with the Turks at Ctesiphon in Mesopotamia.

Report Sinking of British Ship

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The Admiralty announces that the British steamer Commodore has been sunk. All the members of the crew, excepting the cook, were saved.

BIG BATTLE ON IN SOUTHERN SERBIA

By Percy Thomas, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—A great battle is under way in Southern Serbia. The most desperate attacks yet made by the Bulgarians against the Anglo-French allies are being launched in the triangle formed by the Tcherna and Vardar rivers in a terrible effort to hurl the French and British soldiers over the Greek frontier.

A critical situation exists, for it is not known what action the Greeks may take if French and British troops and the handful of Serbians fighting with them are forced upon Greek soil.

Another division of Montenegrins has been launched. An Austro-German column which struck into Montenegro has occupied Ipek and is pushing on into the mountains. There are now three hostile columns driving into King Nicholas' little country, their object being Cettinje, Scutari, and the mountain district of the Pica River.

German and Austrian aeroplanes are very active over Montenegrin country and Cettinje, the capital, has been bombarded. In the southeastern part of Serbia Bulgarians are advancing on Orchidra, the only town of consequence in Serbia still held by the Serbs.

There is no material change in the political situation. The military commission sent from Athens has reached Salonica and is conferring with the representative of the entente powers.

Rumania has not yet given any definite plan of her intentions.

The French official report today tells of the repulse of violent Bulgarian attacks against the French positions on the Varder River in southern Serbia.

German troops have reached the Greek frontier, according to a dispatch from Athens, which states that Teuton and Bulgarian cavalry forces have occupied the railway town of Kenali, on the Serbo-Greek boundary line.

GROUND RECENTLY LOST BY FRENCH IS REGAINED, PARIS SAYS

By Chas. F. Bertelli, Staff Correspondent, International News Service.

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Severe fighting occurred Tuesday and last night at several points in the Franco-German battle front. The offensive in the conflict appears to have been taken by the Germans, who gained some ground in their first rush, but the communique issued by the War Office this afternoon indicates that the French troops are taking back their lost ground.

The text of the communique follows: "In Belgium our rapid-fire guns in the course of the night prevented the enemy from reconnaissance of the works destroyed by us in the region of Het Sas.

"To the north of Arras, and to the west of Hill No. 140, our curtains of fire sharply checked a German attack, which was launched under cover of a mine explosion.

"In the day of yesterday our artillery bombarded and destroyed the Saint-urin mill, in the region of Roye, which the enemy had strengthened for defensive purposes.

"In Champagne we continued to advance by means of grenade attacks in the advanced trench where the enemy had gained a foothold yesterday to the south of St. Souplet.

"To the east of the Butte of Souain our counter-attacks gave us mastery over a German assault which was launched yesterday at the end of the evening. The conflict continues with the aim of retaking the sections occupied by the enemy."

BREAK FEARED IN CRISIS OVER RECALL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A break between the United States and Germany is threatened because of the positive refusal of this government to accede to the German demand for the evidence against Captains Boy-Ed and Von Papen, whose recall is demanded, according to information from authoritative German sources.

A dispatch from Amsterdam today says no official confirmation has been received of yesterday's report from Berlin that Germany had decided to recall Captains Boy-Ed and Von Papen in accordance with the request of the United States.

Upon the decision to be taken in Berlin today or tomorrow depends the future status of the relations between Germany and the United States. Count von Bernstorff has communicated to his home government the flat refusal of the State Department to furnish the evidence upon which it based its demand for the recall of Captains Boy-Ed and Von Papen.

It is understood that he has suggested that inasmuch as this government has precedent and established usage on its side, the two officials be recalled. But he has declined to assume the responsibility, personally, of such action.

Secretary Lansing gave Count von Bernstorff a clean bill of health in every particular and absolved him of any connection whatever with improper activities in this country.

Explosion Destroys Namur Fort, Kills 80

By International News Service.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 8.—According to the Echo De Belge, Fort Cognelle, one of the defences of Namur, was destroyed by an explosion of its magazine Monday and 80 German soldiers killed.

Trains from Berlin to Turkish Capital

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—A schedule for through passenger service to Constantinople, effective January 1, has been arranged at the conference of representatives of interested States which has been in progress at Temesvar, Hungary.

Two express trains will be run in each direction each week between Berlin and Constantinople, and two between Munich and Constantinople.

German Finances Strong.

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—The Bulgarian Minister of Finances, M. Tenchaff, who recently visited Berlin, told Sofia newspapers that Germany's financial position is better than that of any of her enemies.

Found Dead in Bed.

William P. Sweeney, forty-two, formerly a member of the Board of Aldermen in Newton, was found dead in bed in a lodging house on Yarmouth street.

Insists Peace Waits on Allies Seeing Defeat

BERLIN (by wireless), Dec. 8.—President von Payer of the convention of German Progressive and Populist parties, in an address to the delegates today declared that "the world is mistaken if it believes that the military party or the annexationist party is hindering peace."

Herr von Payer said Germany is willing to consider peace terms, but realizes that the allies must realize their defeat before they will give in.

Speaking of the increased cost of living in Germany, Herr von Payer declared that the same condition exists in every other European nation, neutral as well as belligerent.

Kaiser's Peace Terms Expected Tomorrow

By International News Service.

BERLIN, via Amsterdam, Dec. 8.—Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's statement on Germany's attitude as regards peace is expected to embody the personal views of Emperor William. The Chancellor went to general headquarters Tuesday and conferred with the Kaiser last night.

Intense interest in the Chancellor's forthcoming speech was shown in Berlin today. The Chancellor will open the sitting of the Reichstag at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and it is believed that he will make his peace speech at that time and also indicate Germany's position as regards as the Balkans.

French Wounded Fund $28,188

The fund for the French wounded, as acknowledged by Kidder, Peabody & Co. today, has reached the sum of $28,-188.89. Among the recent contributions are: Edmund de Copper $500, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, 2d, E. H. H., I. Tucker Burr, R. A. and G. F. Jackson $100 each, and a $400 anonymous contribution.

Narcotic Drugs on Ships Now Permitted

John F. Malley, Collector of Internal Revenue for the New England district, has issued a notice from the Treasury Department to masters of coastwise vessels that they will now be allowed to procure narcotic drugs for medical use on their vessels. When the new Harrison Drug Law went into effect only the vessels carrying doctors were allowed to purchase drugs.

Lawrence Resident Enlists in Canada

LAWRENCE, Dec. 8.—Alex Black, born in Scotland, but a resident of this city for two years, has enlisted in the Queen's Own Rifles in Toronto.

CONDUCT OF WAR BUNGLED, SAYS BERESFORD

By Sidney S. Cave, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Lord Charles Beresford, former head of the British navy, declared today that conduct of the war along its present lines would prolong the conflict indefinitely. He sharply criticised what he called the "mismanagement," holding the cabinet responsible for present conditions.

"We are in a tangle or muddle of mismanagement," said Lord Beresford. "Our military campaigns are being conducted without objective or plan. 'Policy' only is considered. The war staffs have not been consulted as to whether they had men and material for enforcing the different policies inaugurated by the cabinet.

"The result is disaster in nearly every direction. We have not taken full advantage of our mastery of the sea. In every department we observe doubt and hesitating procrastination.

"The danger to the empire becomes more apparent daily. The country is waiting for a strong, clear lead. Our present methods will prolong the war indefinitely."

POPE CHARGED WITH FAVORING GERMANY

ROME, Dec. 8.—The issue between Church and State raised by Pope Benedict's charge that the Italian government had interfered with the Vatican's diplomatic relations with the Teutonic powers, is attracting greater interest here than military operations.

The Pontiff's assertions caused a parliamentary discussion at Tuesday's session and today the Idea Nazionale prints a rumor that Cardinal Gasparri, the Papal secretary, may resign, owing to the fact that he did not fully approve of the Pope's allocution. This rumor was emphatically denied in Vatican circles today.

The parliamentary discussion of the matter was precipitated by Deputy Lombardo. When debate began in the Chabber yesterday afternoon he called upon Minister of Justice Orlando to reply to Pope Benedict, who, he said, said the deputy, "are contrary to the interests of Italy."

"The government," replied Signor Orlando, "has nothing to add to the interpretation and enforcement of the guarantees law as enforced since 1876."

The minister then declared that the German and Austrian ambassadors to the Vatican had left Rome of their own free will.

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CRIPPLED GIRL IN ROXBURY MAKES APPEAL FOR BASKET

Why "Give-a-Basket"

Here's an argument. It's a child's letter. The child is a little girl. She has long trouble and curvature of the spine and no father. Also some other troubles.

She isn't much of a writer, so far as elaborate style goes. She just writes a few facts—a little dark page out of unhappy life.

Read the letter and, if you don't know then why to "Give-a-Basket," you probably never will know. The letter came in to the AMERICAN in its simple childish words. It read as follows:

Roxbury.

Christmas Editor:

I am writing to ask if you could give us a Christmas basket. Father died four months ago with cancer, and was sick at home for over a year. I have been home for over seven years with lung trouble and curvature of the spine.

I have three little brothers. The youngest has pneumonia. Mother works almost every day, works very hard; she doesn't feel a bit well. It would make us all very happy if we could get a basket.

Sincerely,

Kind of hurts, doesn't it, to think of that little girl, with her crooked spine and her defective lungs and her father-that-was and "Mother works very hard."

What are YOU kicking about, you with your good or average health and your petty troubles? Think of that twisted little spine and—Oh, Great Scott—think of a child loaded with all that and no real Christmas in sight.

Why "Give-a-Basket"

Three of them not all poor and sick, praise be, and so we can help the "Give-a-Basket" Fund, which is now hot on the trail of the $4,000 mark.

Every little bit helps. Wonderful how the children send in their pennies and dimes.

Here's another childish letter, but not a sorrowful one. It's an antidote, so to speak, for the pitiful appeal of the little Roxbury girl. It's from a lad who likes to go to the "movies," but who makes a little sacrifice to help some less fortunate kid. Read it:

Charlestown.

Dear Santa:

In this letter to you, you will find ten cents. My father gave it to me to go to the movies, but I want you to have it as you will help to make some other little boy happy with it.

Dear Santa, I want to ask you to please come to visit the little boys I play with. Their father is dead, and they told me Santa was not coming to their home this year as their mother has no money to send you. So please, Santa, try and not forget them as they will have a very unhappy Christmas if you don't come to their home.

Love to you Santa. From a

CHARLESTOWN BOY.

If a boy can give up a dime's worth of fun at the "movies," how much can an adult sacrifice?

Answer—"Give-a-Basket." Give all that you can spare.

There are bushels of ways of raising money for the Fund—entertainments parties, receptions, afternoon teas and what not.

Walter T. Perry of Jamaica Plain, that live right Yankee, Mr. Perry will run a whist party at the White Whist Club, No. 494 Washington street (next to the Globe Theatre) at 8:15 tomorrow evening, December 9, in aid of the Fund. The proceeds will be donated.

The Fund is to be swelled, of course, by two particularly elaborate benefits. One is the big Christmas ball of the Tammany Club, which is to take place in Symphony Hall on Monday evening, December 20.

Christmas Basket Fund

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GALLINGER AND WILSON TALK ON PROGRAM

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—President Wilson conferred today with Senator Gallinger, Republican leader in the Senate, on the administration's preparedness program. The result of the conference was:

1—President Wilson will not sanction a Democratic caucus in either the Senate or House to cram the necessary legislation through.

2—A majority of the Republicans of the Senate favor a navy and not extreme military and naval program.

3—A majority of the Republicans in the Senate will support the plan of the President and Secretaries of War and Navy as outlined by the President in his address to Congress yesterday providing the Democratic leaders in the House and Senate do not attempt to make the program a party affair.

4—The Republicans of the Senate do not approve of all the suggestions of the President for raising the revenue to meet the coming deficit in the treasury and to meet the expenses of inaugurating the military and naval programs.

The foregoing is the substance of Senator Gallinger's remarks after emerging from the conference with the President. Senator Gallinger said:

MUST OMIT POLITICS.

"I quite agree with the thought of the legislation on preparedness in the minds of the President and Secretary of War."

Senator Gallinger said that in his opinion the Republican members of the Senate would regard the whole question in a non-partisan way, but that to get the support of the Republicans the Democrats must treat the question in the same broad manner and not try to make the question a party one. He said:

"We want to honestly co-operate with the Democrats in this matter as the question is bigger than a party one and certainly one in which the people of the whole country is interested."

Senator Gallinger said that he had not studied closely the details of the administration's plans, but that it was a matter in which there would naturally be much to give and take. He expressed the opinion that this Congress would enact legislation which would be sane and not extreme.

DIFFER ON REVENUE PLAN.

Senator Gallinger said he and his colleagues in his party in the Senate did not agree with the President regarding the matter of raising the revenue which would be necessary to finance an increase in the army and navy and to meet the current expenses. He said he favored instead of a tax on steel, automobile and gas engines, a lowering of the exemption standard of the income tax, the levying of a tax on bank checks.

The issuance of authorized Panama bonds and a retention of the present so-called war tax and the duty on sugar.

Senator Gallinger said the Republicans would differentiate between the administration shipping bill and its need as a part of the military and naval program.

President Wilson will confer tomorrow with Minority leader Mann of the House.

FISH PEDDLER MURDERED ON EASTERN PIER

A mysterious telephone message to police headquarters early today led to the discovery of a waterfront murder, with revenge believed to be the motive.

The body of Gregario Ingeligago, thirty-five years old, was found by the police on the Eastern Packet Pier, in the rear of No. 115 Atlantic avenue, with seven axe wounds on the head and two stab wounds in the back. The body was lying face downward in a pool of blood, with a large dirk-like hatchet nearby, crimsoned with blood.

Ingeligago was a fish peddler and lived with his wife and three small children at No. 41 Perry street, Everett. He left home yesterday afternoon to arrange for the delivery of fish, which he intended to peddle today. He worked throughout Everett with his wagon and was widely known. His relatives cannot give any theory for the motive of the crime, as he was not known to have any enemies, and when he left home yesterday had very little money in his possession.

There have been many quarrels among the Italian fishermen in that section of the waterfront, due principally to the theft or absence of any indication of robbery in connection with the murder leads the police to suspect that the killing was the result of a deadly enmity arising from a quarrel over fish catches or fish thefts.

PHONE CALL TO POLICE.

The police first knew of the murder when someone called headquarters on the telephone and said:

"There's a body on the Eastern Packet pier."

The informant then hung up the telephone. The information was relayed to Hanover street station and Sergeant Corcoran and Patrolmen Ferrari and Curran went to the pier.

When the warning had been proven true, the police were anxious to know who had given them the mysterious information, but the person who telephoned was out of reach. The police took steps to trace the telephone call if possible.

NINE WOUNDS ON BODY.

First view of the scene of the murder did not indicate how fierce a struggle may have taken place on the wharf. Medical Examiner Magrath noted, on first view at the wharf, three wounds on the victim's head.

But, when the body was examined at the morgue, there were revealed seven axe wounds on the head and two stab wounds in the back, indicating that the murdered man may have put up a terrific battle before being slain.

Kris Kringle Ship, Bringing Toys, Sighted

Cheer up, children, Kris Kringle's craft is nearing Boston.

Long overdue, the Norwegian liner Meana, the last Santa Claus ship to leave Rotterdam laden with German toys, was sighted today off Nobska, in Vineyard Haven, and will soon be in Boston.

The ship brings many toys made in Germany, and the number of packages runs into the thousands.

The Meana left Rotterdam on Oct. 24, but encountered terrific weather and was forced to put in at the Azores for coal.

The British government made a special concession to permit the German toys to come through.

The Meana is also bringing plants and bulbs from Holland.

Newport Mayor Says Defeat to Vice War

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 8. — Edward Mayor Patrick J. Boyle was elected Mayor for his sixteenth term over Mayor Robert S. Burlingame by a majority of 227. The total vote was 4431, but failed to vote for Mayor.

Under the charter political lines are supposed to be eliminated, but they were drawn closely. The recent anti-opponent of the blue laws is said to be the cause of the present Mayor's defeat. He recently responded to a call of the citizens to clean up Newport on Sundays.

After the new year opens golf and tennis will be played on Sunday as usual. They were stopped by orders of the chief of police.

'Hypocrites' Chosen for Harvard Smoker

"Hypocrites" is the movie accusation offered to the Harvard sophomores at the first of their smokers to be held this evening in the living room of the union. Whether this "movie" is the much-discussed photoplay that was censored in Boston this year could not be learned from the members of the committee.

Sends to Senate Name of Granite State Man

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The President sent to the Senate for confirmation a list of several hundred appointments, including that of George Bubier of New Hampshire to be Federal Trade Commissioner.

14 WOMEN ARE EXECUTED BY VILLA

EL PASO, Dec. 8.—Fourteen women were executed by a Villa firing squad at Casas Grandes Sunday morning at sunrise on charges of being spies for Carranza officials, it became known for the first time today.

They were arrested upon information of a woman camp follower in the good graces of Villa, who is said to have told of the elaborate secret service plans of the Carranza government to keep informed as to Villa's movements through the medium of the women camp followers.

The account of the shooting is verified by an American who reached the border from Casas Grandes, where Villa now has his headquarters.

FEATED FOR MERCY.

The fourteen victims of Villa's wrath, it is said, were taken from their homes in the American houses of Casas Grandes, which had been commandeered for the use of Villa officers, and without trial were marched off to death.

The women were not executed separately or in groups, as is the usual custom, according to the American, but were taken out behind a mill and executed by a squad of fourteen soldiers, in command of a major.

The women hid their faces behind their mantillas and some turned their backs on the firing squad, while others knelt, and prayed for mercy. The American says he saw the one woman after woman who was about to become a mother fainted. He says he heard the shots as he started back toward the town to catch the train for the border.

ACCUSED OF SPYING.

Letters are said to have been found on the persons of three of the women, addressed to the Carranzan consulate here and giving information as to Villa's strength and plans.

One of the women was about to become a mother and pleaded piteously for her life for the sake of her unborn babe. Her answer was a prod with a Mauser rifle, and she was shoved back into line, only to faint and fall on her face, where she was shot by the firing squad.

Christmas poor boxes placed in the stores and the other public places in Mexico are to be retired and concentrated by the state, according to an order issued by General Carranza. These poor boxes, placed in the stores by the Catholic church, to obtain funds for giving to the poor Christmas dinners and warm clothing, were ordered retired and the money in them confiscated for the government.

Nashua Re-elects Crowley as Mayor

NASHUA, N. H., Dec. 8.—James Benedict Crowley, re-elected Mayor of Nashua, awoke today to hear from all sides the suggestion that the Democrats of the Granite State draft him for the next gubernatorial campaign.

Mayor Crowley has just achieved what was said to be impossible. He was yesterday re-elected by the people of his native city while a strike was still in progress in the textile mills and only a few weeks after he had brought troops in town to put down rioting. If the strike failed to foil the Mayor politically it was said, the soldiers would be a fatal issue.

Man Conpicted of Stealing Handbag

James P. Freeman, twenty-two, said to have no permanent home, was found guilty in the Municipal Court today of larceny from the person of Mrs. Clara Poland, Jeffrey, a widow of Nashua street, Woburn.

According to testimony, Mrs. Poland and her niece, Mrs. Moses of Leslie place, Somerville, were walking along Washington street, near Elm street, last night. In a bag Mrs. Poland had money, railroad tickets and silk stockings valued at $15. Freeman is alleged to have snatched the bag.

Harvard Finds Work for 216 Students

Two hundred and sixteen students found work during 1914-1915 through the Harvard appointment office, a total of thirteen over last year. There were 603 calls direct and sixty-four through agencies. Of the positions filled 107 were in colleges and universities, public or private schools gave employment to sixty-six men. The aggregate salaries reported amounted to $257,436 as against $237,436 for the previous year. There were many calls for athletic directors and teachers with knowledge of music.

First Woman's Peace Conference Saturday

Saturday morning conferences of the Women's Peace Party will begin this week at Pilgrim Hall, Congregational Building, 14 Beacon street. At the opening conference Prof. H. C. Bierwirth of Harvard University will speak on "Militarism and the Spirit of a People," to be followed by a general discussion. These conferences are open to non-members as well as to members. They will open at 11 o'clock.

AVOID ALL MEAT IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Uric Acid in meat excites Kidneys and irritates the Bladder.

Take Salts at first sign of Bladder weakness or Kidney Backache.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation, and is very profuse; again there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs, which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Advertisement.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

MALVOSA—In Quincy, December 7, at his late home, No. 393 Whitwell st., Philip J. Malvosa, aged 66 years.

Funeral from Christ Episcopal Church, Friday, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

LOST—Sterling silver fresh bag Boylston st., between Lenox and Arlington st. Return to MRS. E. S. SLATTERY CO.; reward.

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The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.—Advertisement.

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Now go on with the story.

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CHAPTER III.—(Continued.)

THERE was no doubt that this admission produced a distinct impression, not to say a sensation, on everybody present. Who was May? Was she the same woman he had called up? Was Trask expecting a call from her, or did he only recognize the voice? In either case, he had lied to his wife when he declared that he had no idea who the woman, who had so urgently desired to speak to him that she could not wait until morning to call him up at his office, was? Time had only to look at his widow's face to know that she had asked herself all these questions—and had answered them.

There was little more to her testimony except to state that she, herself, saw that the safe was opened and the money which Glover has since placed there was missing.

Glover's testimony also closely followed the lines of his published interview. But he, too, added one detail which was interesting and served only to make the case against Strickland more black, giving added support to the theory that he had come to the house originally with the purpose of robbery. With the fact established, there would be no trouble in establishing the motive of the murder.

When the secretary finally found the card he was searching for in Strickland's pocket, Strickland had snatched it from his hand, and had partly torn this incriminating piece of evidence before Glover succeeded in repossessing himself of it. I had to admit that that looked very bad indeed. It could see that the jury would have on a jury. It certainly was a very damning piece of evidence. It gave even Thayer the man a very severe jolt. Also, I had waited to hear what Trask had remembered to ask her husband for the new combination as she had intended doing. Still, agent I knew the reason why she had for not mentioning it if she had.

CHAPTER IV.

Mrs. Strickland Disappears

DOUBTLESS the reader, if any such there be, who has followed me straight to follow my halting narrative thus far will not be surprised to learn that by the end of the inquest my interest in the Trask murder, or rather, to speak more accurately, my interest in the case from the point of view of Strickland, had reached the point where I had resolved to be present at the time when he should be formally charged with the crime and indicted and offer my services as assistant to whatever counsel he should select.

I had little doubt that my offer would be accepted. I have said that I had the reputation of being a eccentric on account of practicing my profession without expectation of a fee. But as I never in any sense entered into competition with those that did so, I was considered, as I had long ago extracted, so to speak, the poison from the barb of criticism.

I think that I fix by all modesty say that it was generally admitted that when I chose to be the active ability was balanced by my willingness to give my whole time and attention to any case upon which I was engaged without sparing myself. I don't think any one ever accused me of lack of industry. And after all, in the practice of law, as in any other profession or human endeavor, industry is a factor which counts.

Having gone over in my mind the list of criminal lawyers at the New York bar, all of whom, except perhaps some of the younger men, I knew and was known to personally, I could think of no one who would be apt to decline the offer of my personal services in a subordinate capacity. The fact that Strickland was just beginning to get once more upon his feet financially, would surely not debar him from obtaining the best legal assistance. A man who had, up to the time of the present catastrophe, enjoyed the best of reputations, could not fail to have friends who would stand behind him in his hour of sore need.

Judge of my astonishment, therefore, when I discovered that he had engaged no counsel whatever. But before I come to that, let me give my impression of the man as I first saw him.

He sat at a small table withdrawn a few feet from that occupied by the reporters. His shattered arm, bandaged, and in a sling, rested on the table before him. From time to time, he eased it by placing his right hand under his elbow. He made little or no suffering intense physical pain. In spite of the strong current that he was evidently putting on himself, occasionally a groan escaped him.

It would have equally appropriate parent to the most careless observer that his physical agony was nothing in comparison with the mental agony he was undergoing. The havoc which the events that had passed since the night of the murder had wrought was amazing. One did not need to have known him before—had the reader realize that.

Before the shipwreck of all that gives a value to life, he must have been a man of unusual health and vigor. His well-built, well-nourished frame could belong only to a man of regular and temperate habits. I guessed him on the early forties, and I have no doubt that he had looked even younger. Now, he might have been almost any age. He sat huddled in his chair, leaning on the table. From time to time, he took deep sobbing breaths which seemed to wrack his whole frame. During the brief proceedings involving the formality of his arraignment, he only altered his position once, and only once did I see him fully open his eyes; that was when the officer in charge of him nudged him to remind him that he must stand up.

I have seen, in my time, many men bowed with misery and despair. But I have never looked upon a human being so completely crushed with misery as Robert Strickland that day, and for many days after. I sincerely hope I never may again!

When, on being reminded, he rose to his feet to plead to the indictment, he did an extraordinary thing. At the time I thought that he could not possibly realize what he was doing. In a broken voice he pleaded guilty, and declared himself ready to suffer the consequences. He declared that he had engaged no one to defend him, and that he didn't want to be defended. At first glance, it seemed only reasonable to suppose that the man had lost his reason, or, at least had decided to sham insanity.

It is needless to say that justice does not permit of any man being undefended, nor of his pleading guilty, unless of "not guilty" was entered for him, and His Honor did me the honor of appointing me counsel for his defense, which he knew I came to be finally connected with the Strickland case in an official capacity.

I will never forget my first interview with my unwilling client in his cell in the prisoners' pen. It was well that I was a seasoned lawyer, and well, too, that I have an underlying strain of obstinacy in my character almost—I say "almost" advisedly—equaling Strickland's own. A younger man would have thrown up the sponge in despair. A less obstinate man would have abandoned it in disgust. I did neither; although I confess that more than once my patience and my temper were sorely tried.

But in the midst of his own sufferings, and in the face of his unconquerable resolution to say no word that would assist in his defense, I maintained the courtesy of a well-bred man. He never forgot a certain deference to me as an older man. He was invariably polite. He frequently expressed himself as being grateful to me for the profession of friendship I spoke of the regret that he felt for the trouble he was giving me, but, nevertheless, he flatly refused to help me in any way. He was guilty. He had no desire to escape punishment. The day that he would be called upon to explain his crime could never come, so often. He was positively childish in his protestations that he couldn't see why he should have to endure the formality of a trial. He was guilty. Why could they not sentence him to death without all this rigmarole? No one who heard him could doubt that he was sincere in his wish.

I could learn nothing from him that was of the slightest value. Not a point pertaining to the events of the night on which he had been taken in the Trask house, could be maintained an obstinate, unbreakable silence. The effect of this extraordinary conduct, while it did not alter my determination to defend him as best I might, was to convince me that both McLean and myself had been in error in one matter at least. There had been another man present. Strickland must be shielding some one. Who else could he be shielding? And of what nature was the tie that bound these two men together that one of them should be willing to go to death—and a disgraceful death—to shield the other?

Finding that threats, entreaties, and logic were alike unavailing—I had, of course, not neglected to appeal to him on behalf or his wife and child; and, while he showed himself more nearly vulnerable on being attacked on that side than on any other—I decided to leave him alone for the time being. A few hours' reflection in the quiet of my own house, and—yes, I admit it—the opportunity for debate over the whole matter with McLean, could not fail to inspire me with fresh courage and perhaps a supply of fresh ideas. I do not in the least mind confessing that I was at the end of my resources.

I left my recalcitrant client lying on the cot in his cell and departed in a more perturbed frame of mind than I liked to think possible. I had come no

MAYOR CURLEY, DESPERATE, SNAPS WHIP AT CITY EMPLOYES IN SECRET MEETINGS

TOLD THEIR BREAD DEPENDS ON CURLEY TICKET VICTORY

Panic-stricken by reports that city employes, resenting the brutal methods made to round them up in secret meetings and tell them that their "bread and butter depends" upon the election of the Curley candidates for the City Council, it was said this afternoon that from now on the Curley campaigners will make the old plea that the Mayor is being shamefully abused, therefore, is entitled to public sympathy.

The "bread and butter" threat was today attributed to Mr. Curley's $5,000 chairman of the Department of Parks and Recreation, John H. Dillon.

Chairman Dillon addressed a secret meeting of his employes on Sunday in a hall at Wells Memorial. Admission was by card only. Dillon stood at the door. He reminded his men that, while his own position is secure for at least two years, they have their "bread and butter" to think of. Dillon was assisted in his appeal by Deputy Commissioner James P. Shea and General Superintendent Hugh C. McGrath of the Bath Division.

Two secret meetings of city employes, one in the North End and one in the South Boston Municipal Building, last night, followed the three that were held on Sunday. In each instance workers were admitted by office-holding sentinels guarded the doors and none were let in except those who presented cards of invitation.

The general plan of putting the screws to city employes followed the expose of the famous "Otis & Phillips" circular, a munitions maker, loaned his name to the Curley camp to fool city employes. The name was signed to a letter which pretended to favor the election of Kenny, Attridge, Storrow and Collins, but which advanced "reasons" for the election of the Citizens' candidates which—had the latter gone undiscovered and uncontradicted—were calculated to lose them the support of 14,000 city employes.

EMPLOYES INDIGNANT.

After the Phillips expose came the Selberlich letter, an appeal for German votes because Mayor Curley, to whom he had promised a job, was a friend, while Mr. Storrow's firm has handled a part of the allies' loan.

Selberlich's letter having been written up, the secret meetings of city employes were hastily called upon. Now that the light has been let in on these methods, it is currently reported that the Mayor's secretaryship of pau-cl opinion will be turned into a sob squad and will appeal for sympathy for the Mayor on the ground that he is being "shamefully abused."

The organized attempt to scare city employes into getting "on the line" for Mr. Curley's ticket is the scandal of the campaign. With every issue the city employes and their friends grow more indignant.

"Any other man might get away with it, as the 'Mayor of Boston,' one leader said today, 'but aside from the comparatively few who owe their appointments directly to the Mayor it appears to be impossible for most of the men to forget that the Curley who today tries to intimidate them is the 'name old Jim' who sent Sullivan to the Legislature to do away with the City Laborers' Vacation bill; and the 'name old Jim' whose Ward 17 representatives in the Legislature ducked or dodged the final roll call on that bill."

Counting upon the light vote usual in the "off" year when there is no election of Mayor, it is said that Mr. Curley hoped to make the 14,000 payroll votes, with all the other votes they would naturally carry with them, the foundation stone of a victory for the ticket. Department heads, superintendents, foremen and sub-foremen, it is said, have received instructions to talk "bread and butter" to the men under them and to frighten those faithful employes with the suggestion that if the Citizens' Council candidates are elected the payrolls will be slashed right and left and up and down.

The bosses have faithfully passed the word along, it was reported today, and the men are beginning to show their anger openly.

One of the strongest arguments that has been put forward by one-half of the Citizens' ticket is that two of its four nominees—John J. Attridge and Thomas J. Kenny—are themselves the sons of city laborers. It proves hourly harder, Curley captains will admit privately, to convince the men that Attridge and Kenny would go back on them.

CITY HALL DESPERATE.

City Hall, nevertheless, is desperate. Secret meetings are the order of every night.

Practically every city employe has now been ordered to a secret meeting, to be held with respect to their ballot, ticket or expect the worst.

Admittance to the "bread and butter" meetings, as the men have been to call them, are by card only. The cards are usually signed with the name of "James P. Timilty, President of the Democratic City Committee." The strongest lines on each card are these:

ADMISSION BY THIS CARD ONLY. PRESENT THIS CARD AT THE DOOR.

So far as can be ascertained, these invitations, regarded as "orders," have been sent only to employes of the city.

Great numbers of city employes, thousands it may be, are today in fear with respect to their immediate futures. Men who have happened to receive the cards too late for the meeting designated hurry around to men prominent in the political machinery of their wards and explain their absence.

It became known today that, while only one Sunday meeting was called to the attention of the city on Monday, there were really three such meetings, all of them open only to city employes.

The Sunday meetings which had been kept quiet until today were two:

One hundred and fifty of the 800 employes of the Park and Recreation Department attended a "talk" in the Wells Memorial Building. The exhorters were John H. Dillon, chairman of the Park and Recreation Commission; James B. Shea, the deputy commissioner, and Hugh C. McGrath, general superintendent of baths.

Thirty sub-foremen of the paving division of the Street Department, bosses over approximately 800 men, received their orders in Barbers' Hall, at the corner of Washington and Dover streets.

TIMILTY SPEAKS.

The third secret meeting of Sunday, and the only one to receive publicity, was a general meeting of city employes, held in the old Franklin Schoolhouse in Washington street, Ward 9.

This last was one of many meetings addressed by former Senator "Jim" Timilty, president of that city committee which was opposed to Curley two years ago.

Timilty, a big, strong, two-fisted gentleman with a way about him which appeals to other big men, is not a city employe. He is not a resident of Ward 4, although his name was attached to the call for last night's secret meeting at the Jefferson Club. Timilty is in the Curley campaign for reasons of his own and as Chairman of the Democratic City Committee.

Senator "Jim" addresses his gatherings of city employes as "Brothers," and is the mildest of all the "schoolmasters" who have up to date spoken to the "boys." He wins a part of his audiences by assuring them that he has always been "one" of them, and that they know he has their "best interests at heart."

Then he plugs hard for the Curley slate, and so effectively that some of the men are lulled into a sweet forgetfulness of the fact that the Curley who wants them again is the Curley whose performances some months ago were the cause of apprehension in many homes in Boston, whose chief support is a city pay envelope.

The Timilty style of going after them is thus in contrast with the John H. Dillon style of "throwing a scare into them." Dillon came in on Sunday from his home in the Elm Hill section to frighten his men in this fashion:

Gentlemen—I have called you here today to urge upon you the importance of this next election, and what it means to you.

Personally, I am all right. I will hold MY position whether Mayor Curley's ticket, or the citizen's ticket, is elected. I am talking to YOU for your own welfare.

This means bread and butter to you!

If the Citizens' ticket is elected, which ticket is composed of Attridge, Collins, Storrow and Kenny, it means that when I go to the City Council to tel them how many foreman I need, and say "I need 25 or 30 foremen," they will say to me, "What do you need these 25 or 30 foremen for? Don't you think you can do the work of the department with a less number of men? We think you can, and think you can cut down that force by at least ten or a dozen men."

Take another example: Suppose I ask for 18 or 20 gardeners. They will say: "Can't you cut down that force?"

If I estimate that I require, say, 350 men in the Park Department, they will say, "Can't you do with less men in the Park Department?"

DILLON'S ARGUMENT.

Now, my friends, you know what that means—somebody has got to suffer.

It is important, therefore, that you rally on the election day of the ticket Mayor Curley is advocating, and then when I appear before the City Council with my estimates to carry on the work of this great department, I will get the appropriation I ask for.

So, gentleman, I urge upon you the necessity of electing this ticket, as it means a great deal to you men, more than it does to me, because I will hold my position, anyhow.

In South Boston, last night, the man at the door was Chairman Michael J. Moriarty, of the Curley-Timilty Ward Committee. To a reporter who stepped up, Mr. Moriarty shook his head and said:

"Admission is by ticket only. No, nothing will be given out after the meeting."

City employes appeared to be the only South Boston men with the magic tickets.

The city as a whole is not impressed, politicians admit, by the effort to hold Attridge, Collins, Storrow and Kenny up before the public as men likely to make harder the lot of the honest city workman.

Thomas J. Kenny, on the stump, is nightly reminding Boston that Mayor Curley, immediately after going to the Mayor's office, did precisely the things, and took precisely the attitude, toward city employes, that Mr. Curley had said in his campaign might be expected from Mr. Kenny if Mr. Kenny were chosen to succeed John F. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Kenny now appears to take some satisfaction in thus holding up Mr. Curley (the Mayor as campaigning him to Mr. Curley the candidate. Another thing Mr. Kenny is saying effectively is that it has always been in South Boston and purposes to remain there, elected or defeated in this election.

HAVE LONG MEMORIES.

Even the Curley followers admit that they have abandoned hope of defeating Mr. Kenny.

The men who are getting the city employes' votes for the Curley ticket say that their work would not be so hard if it were not that the men have long memories.

All recall the mayor's early inclination to take what is called the "highbrow" attitude towards the city employe. Mr. Curley's treatment of the girl pianists in the arms and the men in the bath department, whom he chased in Winter to Franklin Park, kindly supplying them with pick and shovel, is still remembered.

The policemen, of whom there are 3,700 or more, recall the Mayor's attempt to acquire legislative control over the Police Department, with the statement at the time that, if he could get this control, he would take away salary increases in that department he had done in the Fire Department. The firemen have been quick to observe that, in a Curley campaign, the votes are needed, the Mayor—just before an election—is strong for "one day off in three."

"The organized effort to make "Curley" men out of the city men following Otis & Phillips, the munitions maker who signed his name to a letter "endorsing" Attridge, Collins, Storrow and Kenny is worth which—if the Citizens' candidates had not promptly rallied upon Phillips with a return of reporters—might have lost them the combined vote of the city employes in all departments.

TRY TO DRIVE MEN.

The uncovering of Mr. Phillips, however, robbed his fraudulent letter of power to harm. The attendant publicity made Mr. Curley frantic and led to the pressing wild into the ranks of city laborers together and vote them as one man for Curley's council.

Then came the letter sent out in Boston Germans by Elections Commissioner Frank J. Selberlich, whom Mr. Curley appointed to his present $3,500 position. Mr. Selberlich, who thus enjoys Mr. Curley's friendship and patronage, at the Autumn meeting of German-Americans in Worcester pleaded with his compatriots to endorse the gubernatorial candidacy of Samuel W. McCall. The movement was squelched by Mr. McCall's friends.

It is admitted that interest in the campaign is increasing with every hour, as Tuesday, December 14, approaches, and that the Phillips and Selberlich letters, and the round-up of city employes will probably have the effect of bringing out an immense vote.

The Mayor is endeavoring to cover his tracks and cloud the issue by aiming his batteries at James J. Storrow, and seeking to make Storrow his personal issue.

Which, also, might work, if it were not officially recorded that when Councillor Storrow took the oath of office, in May, Mayor Curley spoke as follows at a meeting of the City Council:

I desire to congratulate the City Council on the addition that has this day been made to its membership, and to congratulate the city as the fact that one of its successful captains of industry has seen fit to imbibe the spirit of the Boston of the past and sacrifice his time and his talent for the Boston of the future.

MAY ASK SYMPATHY.

Today, therefore, it was reported that from now on the workers in the Curley camp will cry that the Mayor is being "abused," and will appeal for "sympathy" for him. The answer from the other camp is that the Mayor has done all the abusing that has been done in this campaign, has used the Phillips letter, the Selberlich letter and the round-up of city employes, and has called his opponents "hicksters," "dunkies," "shamstrings" and "panderers."

MAYOR STATES HIS POSITION ON ACTIVITIES OF CITY MEN

Mayor Curley today ridiculed the statement of Messrs. Storrow, Attridge, Kenny and Collins to the effect that they are to spend but $100 each in campaign expenses.

"For every dollar spent by Watson, Conway, Fitzgerald and Doyle, the Storrow candidates will spend $100," said the Mayor.

The Mayor denied that he is coercing city employes to vote for the Curley ticket or that they are holding secret meetings, and characterized the statements to the contrary as "the plaint of a campaign that" has petered out."

"No evidence can be produced an indorsement of his ticket by the Civil Service Association, a society composed exclusively of city employes, which indorsement, the Mayor said, was given the ticket by the society, entirely unsolicited.

In his statement the Mayor said:

"In view of the fact that Storrow spent over $100,000 in his Mayoralty campaign, his statement in the papers that he would spend only $100 in the present campaign is very interesting. His associates are only going to spend $100 each, according to their statement.

MAKES "SPY" CHARGES.

"Four hundred dollars is a small amount for a city campaign, and the statement strikes most people as the most amazing incident in the present campaign. I think the letter should be sent to the comic papers as one of the best jokes of the campaign.

"Why, $400 wouldn't pay for the spies Storrow and his associates are sending around to the city employes' meetings. I don't know what sort of hocus pocus Mr. Storrow and his Government friends may go through in providing funds for their campaign, but I do know that for every dollar expended in behalf of Watson, Conway, Fitzgerald and Doyle there will be at least $100 spent for the ticket headed by Mr. Storrow.

"Mr. Storrow has a great deal to say about secret meetings of employes. He charges that by my expresses orders they are being lined up by promises, orders and threats of discharge to work for the Curley ticket. There is not a word of truth in this statement.

"No one is being promised anything by me, no one is being threatened, and no one is being ordered to 'line up' for anyone. City employes have held meetings, but they have held them because they wanted to hold them.

QUOTES INDORSEMENT.

"A city employe has as much right to go to a meeting of his fellow employes as Mr. Storrow has to go to a meeting of the Good Government Association. Among the rights of citizens which are guaranteed by the Constitution is the right of free speech and the right of public assembly. The city employes are citizens and they do not forfeit their rights as citizens when they become city employes.

"If they hold meetings and endorse candidates for the Council who are opposed to Mr. Storrow and his ticket, it is because they have confidence in my administration, because they believe the ticket opposed to Mr. Storrow is made up of men who will co-operate with me in constructive effort for the city's good and a square deal for every city employe.

"I have recently received a copy of a circular of endorsement of Messrs. Watson, Fitzgerald, Conway and Doyle from the Civil Service Association, which is a delegated body of eleven different associations representing about 1,800 city or county employes. This represents the sentiment of city employes towards the administration, and it is an honest sentiment which they have a perfect right to express.

DISPUTES ASSERTION.

"The charge of the Storrow ad that heads of city departments are threatening the threats of discharges to give their time and effort to candidates favoring me for the City Council is also untrue. Anyone who is interested will find that each head of a department is on the job during the whole working day.

"If any head of a department after close of business hours wishes to speak to his friends in behalf of the candidacy of any one of them it is his affair. I have not interefered with any of the heads of departments in any way during this campaign.

Falls to His Death Aiding Stranger

Nicholas Lynch, thirty-two, unmarried, of No. 38 Hayes street, Cambridge, is dead today as the result of an accident he met while trying to help a man who had lost the key to his room in the lodging house, No. 34 Lynde street.

McCall Visits the Governor at the State House

Governor-elect McCall paid his personal compliments to Governor Walsh at the State House today.

Mr. McCall announced, at the close of the conference with the Governor, that he would avail himself of Room 117, State House, tomorrow. He will occupy that room until he is inaugurated and will confer with department heads on the preparation of his inaugural message.

Governor Walsh and Mr. McCall discussed many of the vital issues of State politics, including the powers and limitations imposed upon a Chief Executive's office.

Governor Walsh also received today His Excellency Licenciado Don Manuel Castro Quesada, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from Costa Rica to the United States. The minister was accompanied by T. Munroe Endicott, secretary of the United States Legation at Costa Rica, and Charles A. Gibson of the Boston Park and Recreation Board.

Arthur Prince Heads Royal Arch Masons

At the annual convocation of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Massachusetts, Arthur D. Prince of Lowell was elected grand high priest to succeed Eugene A. Holton, who has served for the last three years as head of the Royal Arch Masons of the State.

A Druggist's Favorite Kidney Remedy Fixed Him

Fifteen years ago I had an attack of acute kidney trouble. I consulted a physician who gave me medicine which only relieved me for a time. After discontinuing his medicine my trouble returned as severe as before.

Having heard of Swamp-Root I gave it a trial and can truthfully state that three dollar bottles cured me, never having any sickness in fifteen years. I have sold Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root as a druggist for many years and can give it the very best of recommendations at all times.

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Respectfully,
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On this 11th day of August, 1909, personally appeared before me, W. C. Summers, who subscribed to the within statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

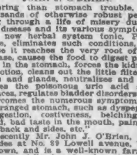
CHARLES WILSON,
Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Boston Daily American. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Advertisement.

SYRUP of FIGS FOR CROSS, SICK FEVERISH CHILD



Look, Mother! Is tongue coated, breath hot and stomach sour?

Harmless "fruit laxative" best to clean tender liver and bowels.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to move the bowels and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered.

When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it cannot cause injury, in the difference what ails your little one—if full of cold, or a severe case of diarrhoea, stomach ache, bad breath, sore throat, tonsilitis, "inside stuffing," should always be the first treatment given. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrup. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the California Fig Syrup Company. We make no smaller size. Stand back with contempt any imitation fig syrup. For sale by Riker-Jaynes and all reliable druggists.—Advertisement.

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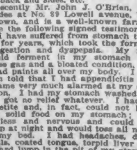
FROM WATERTOWN TO MAKE REPORT

John J. O'Brien of 89 Lowell Ave. Says Plant Juice Has Benefited Him.

The Plant Juice Man, who has his headquarters at the Liggett Drug Store, corner of Washington and Avon streets, is a recent discovery, and "Probably no affliction is more common or responsible for more intense



JOHN J. O'BRIEN.

suffering than stomach trouble, for thousands of otherwise robust people drag through a life of misery due to this disease and its various symptoms. The new herbal system tonic, Plant Juice, eliminates such conditions, because it reaches the very root of the disease, causes the food to digest properly in the stomach, forces the kidneys to action, cleans out the little filtering cells and glands, neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid substances, regulates bladder disorders and overcomes the stomach symptoms of a deranged stomach, such as worrygoggle, indigestion, costiveness, belching of wind, bad taste in the mouth, pains in the back and sides, etc.

Recently Mr. John J. O'Brien, who resides at No. 89 Lowell avenue, Watertown, and is a well-known farmer, gave the following signed testimonial:

"I have suffered from stomach trouble for years, which took the form of indigestion and constipation. My food would ferment in my stomach and cause gas and a feeling of fullness, and I had pains all over my body. I had been told that I had appendicitis and became very much alarmed at my condition. I had my stomach washed out and got no relief whatever. I had no appetite and, in fact, could not keep any solid food on my stomach; was restless and nervous and could not sleep at night and would toss all night long and tired. I had headaches, dizzy spells, coated tongue, torpid liver and a hard lump in the pit of my stomach that seemed like a ball of lead. I read about Plant Juice in the papers and began to take it. I can now say, for the benefit of others who are suffering, that I have taken four bottles and feel like a new man; all my troubles are gone; no more aches or pains, have a good appetite and enjoy all my meals; sleep well and am glad to recommend Plant Juice to all who suffer."—Advertisement.

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Don't make the fatal mistake of neglecting what may seem to be a "simple little backache." That's how all serious kidney ills begin. Neglect may lead to gravel, dropsy, fatal Bright's disease. Don't take chances. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's are endorsed the world over. Ask your neighbor!

A Boston Case

Mrs. Mary Sullivan, 15 Cedar St., Roxbury, Mass., says: "I was in bed for a week with kidney trouble. I had a dull pain in my back and suffered from dizzy spells. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me in a short time and I have had no return of the trouble."

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TO OUR PATRONS

WE BEG TO ANNOUNCE that on and after the First day of January the discontinuance of our use of United Profit-Sharing Coupons. We do not do this voluntarily, nor are we even in the slightest degree disappointed in the coupons. We found them all that was claimed for them, but for reasons best known to itself, Union Labor has vetoed their use and distribution and opposed them so successfully as to compel us to discontinue their issue after the above date.

We have too much respect for and sympathy with Union Labor to wish to antagonize it, and although we are the innocent and aggrieved party, and no party to the fight between Union Labor and any other interests, we have decided, and announce that we will have ready for distribution within a few days, a new stamp to be known as the NEW ENGLAND PROFIT-SHARING STAMP, owned and operated by a Massachusetts corporation, in which we have a substantial interest.

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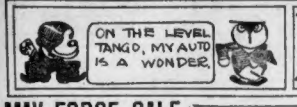
If you are losing your hearing—if you are troubled with buzzing and ringing in the ears—if you find that your nostrils are clogged—if you have a cold in the head—if you have given up hopes of finding relief, just go to Riker-Jaynes', or any other druggist's store, and purchase one ounce of Fluid Ensenol. Mix this with one pint of warm water. Put it to use in the affected ear every night. Put one tablespoonful to a fourth of a glass of warm water and gargle throat and snuff up nose night and morning. Keep this up for a few weeks and test your hearing and you will be pleased to note the improvement it will give you, no doubt, discover that your catarrh has disappeared and head noises gone.

It's a Pity That Some Men Can't Draw Checks as Easily as They Can Inferences



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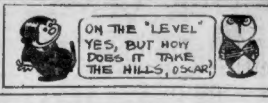

MAY FORCE SALE OF CLEVELAND INDIANS

By HERMAN NICKERSON.

The financial affairs of the Cleveland American League Club are being discussed today by President Ban B. Johnson and the men who have had charge of President C. W. Somers' affairs, since his difficulties arose. The proposition seems to be one which involves the strengthening of the Cleveland club so that it can be considered a contender in the race, and as such be in a position to get some money.

President Somers has been a great help for American League baseball. It was his news and his money that put an American League club in Boston when that franchise was being peddled about town for a very small sum.

BUILT UP FOLLOWING

Men with money at that time reared to take a chance with the club, not knowing whether they could control the players.

Mr. Somers took hold and built up a following, after which he retired from the club. Now that his club's affairs are in a bad way, the league's action upon the question of relief is awaited with interest.

President Somers is a valuable man for the game and it is hoped he can see his way clear to continue actively interested in the sport.

There is talk, however, of a sale. Mr. James McGill, a partner of William Smith in the control of the Indianapolis club of the American Association, is mentioned as being in the market for the club, and President Johnson is said to be favorably inclined in his direction, should the sale of the property be forced.

HENDRICKS MAY SUCCEED FOHL.

This idea has so far advanced that Jack Hendricks is mentioned as the manager in place of Lee Fohl.

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From indications it looks as if Colonel Rupert and Captain Huston would pay that annual rental of $55,-000 to President Hempstead of the New York Giants. While the Highlanders will eventually have a home of their own in New York, there isn't a chance for such a place being prepared for their reception this Spring.

President J. J. Lannin of the Red Sox will attend the meeting of the American League, which is to be held in Chicago December 15. He intends being in New York during the International League skating, leaving for the Windy City next Tuesday.

Bringing Up Father

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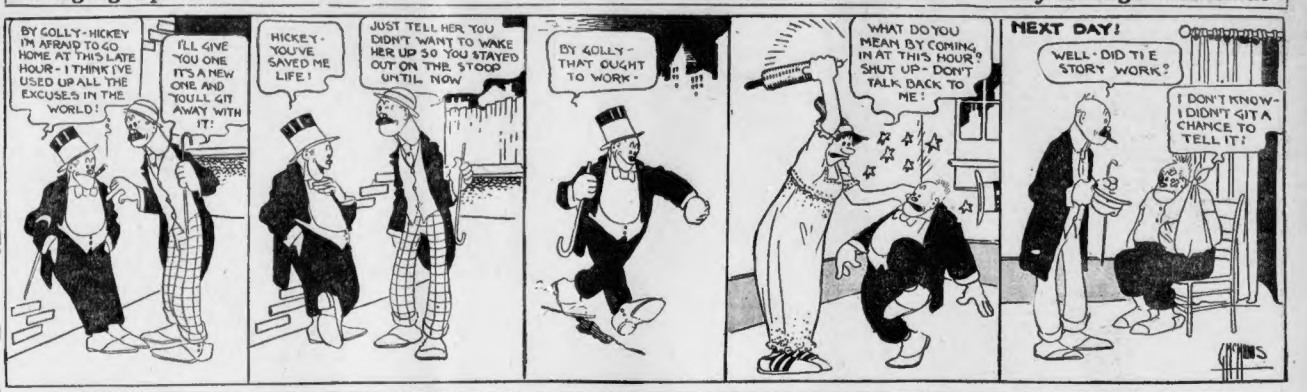
By George McManus



Triangular League Names Spring Date

While the Triangular League has decided to hold its annual outdoor meet February 13, the location has not yet been decided upon. Noble & Greenough, Volkmann and Roxbury Latin comprise the league. Fred Burns has been named coach of the Noble & Greenough squad, but does not plan giving the squad any real work until after the Christmas holidays. Bob Fowler will look after the Volkmann candidates, while Roxbury Latin has yet to appoint its coach.

Manager Weld of Noble & Greenough has arranged a dual meet with Browne & Nichols at Dexter Field, January 16, and another with Country Day School at Newton, February 5.

Water Polo Game on Revere Program

The Ocean Pier Swimming Club of Revere holds its second meet of the season Friday night. In addition to the four open events, all handicaps, there will be diving competition and a water polo game. Entries close tomorrow with Herbert D. Holm.

New 18.2 Record Is Hung Up by Hoppe

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—"Willie" Hoppe, the world's champion billiardist, fractured all 18.2 balking records in his match with Roji Yamada, the Jap, when he made a run of 236 in the fifth inning. The final score was 400-104.

Sherman Damon Honored.

The Milton Academy second and third team football players have been awarded their letters. Sherman Damon of Brookline is the new football manager, and Chester Mayer of Milwaukee is his assistant.

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Situations Wanted Ads in the American Get Advertisers Good Jobs!

HOCKEY IN FOR GAY REVIVAL AT B. C.

By JOHN W. MORAN, JR.

This season the affairs of the Arena Hockey Club will be handled by a committee of three. While Fred Hoey, who managed last season's successful team, will not be a member of the committee, he will assist in an advisory capacity. The second meeting of the body of men who originated the club idea will be held tonight. In addition to appointing the hockey committee, it will take up other matters of importance.

Ice has already formed on the surface at the Arena, and the indications are that the big floor will be ready for the skaters Friday night, when Manager Lougee gives his big party. Saturday morning, bright and early, the ice will be prepared for the formal public opening, and no later than noon lovers of skating will have their opportunity to use the surface. Saturday night should see a big gathering at the Arena, as the Navy practice will get underway Monday, in all likelihood.

Boston College has taken up hockey with a vengeance after a three-years' layoff. Thirty candidates have reported for places on the varsity seven and the indications are that a strong team will represent the Maroon and Gold.

A rink is being constructed on the tennis courts in Alumni Field. Pending its completion, and the coming of ice, the B. C. boys will get their practice in the smoking room, where there is a big granolithic surface.

The Athletic Committee has appointed J. B. Atkinson, '16, manager of the team, but as yet no captain has been chosen.

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John Connolly, a former Canadian star, is attending B. C. and trying for a place on the team. Others out are Walter Palfrey and "Bill" Haughey, both ex-English High hockey captains; Joe Sheahan, a former Roxbury Latin player; Shea, Maguire, Wholly, Falvey, Fleming and Gillespie, B. C.

Paul Waters, formerly of the Newton High seven; Bennett Murray and Jay Cahill, ex-hockey captains at Boston Latin; Tom Reynolds, a Jamaica star, and Steve, who starred on a Western college team, are other ambitious ever training with the squad.

Elmer Wanamaker, a member of the Harvard varsity seven for this year, is not a student at Tech. With him on its team, Tech should take a big brace.

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Though B. A. A. sustains a severe loss in Ralph Winsor's retirement as coach, it is fortunate in having Fred Huntington, one of the best hockey students and teachers in the land, on hand.

Though the Arena players consider the loss of Raymie Skilton as very serious, they are of the opinion that he can be stopped in a game in a perfectly legitimate manner. His acquisition by B. A. A. assures peppery contests this season.

"Mickey" Roach, a star of last season's Arena seven, who spent the Fall as a student at Huntington School, playing quarter on the football team, has quit school. He will be on hand when time for play comes at the Arena.

Chester Sutherland, the former Detroit and Woodstock, Can., player, who spent last Summer in London, announces his enlistment for the European war. He has entered Lieutenant Harry Fetterly's Cycle Corps and will join them shortly in Toronto. Sutherland is well known in Canada and the States both as a hockey and basketball player.

Penn State Names Clark.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Dec. 8.—Fullback Harold Clark has been elected captain of the 1916 Penn State eleven.

Salem Hits Upon Twomey.

Salem Normal has elected Maurice Twomey of Lynn captain of its football team for next Fall. Gilman C. Harvey is the new manager.

"THE RABBITS' COLUMN" By Walter J. Maranville, HORTSTOP OF THE BRAVES

When a Federal League official will neither affirm nor deny, it looks suspicious. Or has the store of dirty book stories been exhausted?

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I am still of the opinion that the Feds will not build their New York ball park. So far as I can learn, no effort is likely to be made by C. I. to prevent the closing of those streets. To me the closing of the streets and the building of that park would mean "curtains" for the Feds.

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They tell me Fred Mitchell's mail these days resembles that of President Wilson, only Fred's stuff contains congratulatory messages, while the President has his troubles with those jitney telegrams.

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Was sorry to learn of "Sing" Cole's illness. Here's hoping that clever twirler regains his health, and speedily, too!

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We have had several quarrels on the Braves, and every one of the boys are elevated to the plane. Arthur Nehf, our new southpaw, can do a great job at the bench. He is also an accomplished organist.

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Wonder what Clark Griffith will say to President Comiskey on that "flat price" for ball players. The owner of the White Sox can afford to pay more than most any of the other magnates and doesn't seem to hesitate when he goes after a man. I am told that one of the reasons the Highlanders didn't connect with "Home Run" Baker was that Mr. Comiskey was willing to double the price.

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The placing of Frank Baker would not only be a fine Santa Claus gift to "Home Run," but to all the "fans" as well. The baseball world would like to see Baker in action once more. Too much talk of dollars, so far. However, Connie Mack needs the money. But don't tell Clark Griffith.

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President Thomas of the Cubs comes out flatly with the statement that he has several offers for trades and expects to do something at the New York meeting.

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With ice skating and roller skating now in the schedule, there is plenty of opportunity for sport and exercise. Regular work at either will bring about good results.

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Chairman Billings of the B. A. A. is sure to present an attractive list of events for the annual indoor meet February 5 next. This is a set of games sport lovers look forward to with pleasurable anticipation.

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If Manager McGraw, during his stay in Maryland, could get away from baseball as he says, "haven't given it a thought," he is a lucky man. Now Bess Stallings, on his plantation down in Georgia, is always doing things for the Braves. If George were to go to Darkest Africa he'd be skins up the natives for an eight-club league.

Soccer Shots

WITH the elimination of the New Bedford Celtics by the General Electrics, only two New England teams remain in the National Cup series, via: General Electrics and Fore River.

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IT is bound to be an interesting bat-tle when these two teams clash at Ocean Park, Lynn, Saturday. The losing team will drop out of the running.

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FORE RIVER was recently disci-plined for playing members illegally registered. Besides forfeiting all points won in the State cup series, each member set down drew a thirty-day suspension and a fine of $20 was attached to the club. This may be considered a severe penalty, but the powers that be intend running things according to the rules.

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MANAGER GIBSON of St. George's, believing he has done his full part in the interest of the game, is undecided whether or not he will succeed himself for the season of 1915-16. Gibson is also president of the Boston and District Soccer League.

RUTTLE HAS BIG SHADE ON "BO" HARTFORD

The concluding half of the twenty-string bowling match between Frank Ruttle and "Bo" Hartford will be rolled tonight on the Arch Street Alleys. Only a great come-back can save Hartford from a defeat and the loss of the $100 purse, as Ruttle gained a lead of 146 pins on the opening night. This looks good enough to carry him through unless he "cracks" completely.

Ruttle showed remarkable form in the first two strings, rolling for the spicy average of 112 2-5. Hartford averaged 94.

Fred Hartford, manager of the Arch Street Alleys, has made preparations to handle a record crowd. The chances are that the alleys will have to be covered for seating purposes.

Chauncy will resume its battle for the City League lead tonight, when it goes against the Bowdoin Square on its own lanes. This match will divide interest with the Dewey-Ward-Murray encounter on the latter's drives.

As things now stand, Murray has two points the better of Chauncy. It is hard to say which leader is tackling the hardest team tonight, as both Bowdoin Square and Rowe's Wharf have shown enough ability to make it hot for the best of them. Bowdoin Square appears the stronger of the two, but has a hard road to travel on the Chauncy lanes, where the home team has not lost a match in many, many moons.

BOWLING GOSSIP

TOMORROW evening the Old Timers' Bowling Association will hold its weekly seance on the Murray alleys, and it promises to be one of the big events of the season. Miah Murray, the big chief of the South End lanes, has planned a rousing reception for "Pop" Barnes and Company.

THE annual Christmas tournament at the Murray alleys is in the nature of a one-ball contest. Thirty-six dollars in prizes are being offered.

THE Royal Arcanum League has switched from the Loop alleys to the North Station alleys.

THE North Station lanes will be the scene of a gay gathering Thursday night, when the John P. Squires' open their league season. Many novel features are on the program.

CHARLEY BINNING, one of the best juvenile bowlers in New England, is booked to go against a crack Lynn bowler next week. The match will be a twenty-string affair, the first half of which will be rolled on the Carruth alleys, December 17. The Lynn date has not been set.

IT is possible that Binning and Pike of the Court House League will clash in a twenty-string setto in the near future.

BEN. B. FREEDMAN announces the opening of the Columbia alleys, No. 761 Huntington avenue, Roxbury.

Harvard Tank Team Gets Down to Work

Fifty men have reported to Coach Matt Mann of the Harvard swimming team. Prominent in the squad are R. M. Fullerton, J. V. D. Seymour, R. F. Benjamin and W. R. Seeley. Practice will be held daily in the Cambridge Y. M. C. A. tank, the sprinters holding forth from 3 to 5 o'clock and divers from 5 to 6:30 o'clock.

Horning Named to Lead Colgate Eleven

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 8.—Clarence Horning of Caledonia, N. Y., one of Colgate's gridiron stars the past three seasons, has been elected captain of the 1916 eleven. Colgate is already arranging another attractive schedule.

Bowling League Matches Tonight

CITY — Bowdoin Square at Chauncy; Rowe's Wharf at Murray's; Unions at Castle Square; Loop at North Station; Faneuil Hall at Court Street.

NEWTON—B. A. A. at Cochato; North Gate at Hunnewell; Newton at Maugus; Arlington B. C. at Newtowne.

ARCHITECTURAL—Four matches at Littlefield's Alleys.

NEWSPAPER—Four matches on the Arch Street Alleys.

ELITE HOUSE—Three matches on the Elite Alleys.

FURNITURE—Three matches on the Arch Street Alleys.

FARQUHAR CO.—Two matches on the Adams Square Alleys.

HARDWARE—Five matches on the Faneuil Hall Alleys.

K. OF C.—Eight matches on the New Boston Alleys.

AUTO—Three matches on the Loop Alleys.

RETAIL SHOE—Three matches on Littlefield's Alleys.

COLUMBIA TRIPLET—Three matches on Littlefield's Alleys.

RAILWAY MAIL TRIPLET—Three matches on the Arch Street Alleys.

MASS. BOWLING ASSOCIATION—Three matches on the New Boston Alleys.

JOHN HANCOCK LADIES'—Eight matches on Littlefield's Alleys.

FIELD & FOREST—Dewey Square Alleys.

RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE—Two matches on Summer Street Alleys.

CATHOLIC UNION — Three teams in Catholic Union Alleys.

ANTHEUM PRESS — North Station Alleys.

Crimson's Gym Team Has Busy Schedule Ahead

Twenty men have reported for the Harvard varsity gymnastic team and four nightly practices will take place weekly during the remainder of the season. Coach Fred Maroney will be in charge of the men on Monday and Thursday evenings, and Captain Wallace Campbell on the other two evenings.

Captain Campbell and Manager Douglas Campbell are the only veterans left this year. The gymnastic leader works on the horizontal and parallel bars, the flying rings and the horse, while his brother specializes on the bars.

The schedule for the season has been practically completed. March 4 the annual triangular meet between Harvard, Dartmouth and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be held in the Hemenway Gymnasium.

Harvard's annual intersectionalistic meet is set for March 11. March 15, Amherst comes to Cambridge and three days later Harvard will go to Providence to meet Brown.

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'BIG THREE' MAY FAVOR SUMMER BASEBALL

In college athletic circles this morning there is a strong feeling that Yale, Harvard and Princeton will soon announce that they favor Summer baseball, but with certain restrictions.

At the session of the eligibility committees of the three colleges at New York recently the matter was gone into extensively.

A series of eligibility rules were devised and these will be offered the athletic associations of the three colleges shortly. Should the rules be adopted there is a strong possibility that Harry LeGore and the other Yale athletes who were dropped during the football season would be restored and become eligible for competition in all college sports once more.

The new system calls for a supervision of Summer baseball playing by representatives of the college athletic associations. A student who desires to play Summer baseball must secure a permit, which is granted with certain restrictions and conditions.

Purdue Names Tiger Star.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Dec. 8.—Ralph F. Hutchinson, a former football and baseball star at Princeton, has been appointed next Spring's coach of the Purdue University baseball team.

Cousens Is Set Down.

Foster Cousens, one of Boston Latin's best athletes, has been suspended for sixty days on account of faculty trouble.

Juarez Selections

BOSTON AMERICAN

1—Leah Cochran, Jennie Small, Zadora.
2—Bonnie's Buck, Skinny B., Peter Stalwart.
3—Palma, Ann Tilly, Willis.
4—Balgee, Old Bob, Miss Fielder.
5—Atelier, Classy Curl, Cordova.
6—Nudelil, Rael, Transparent.

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—Bank, Leah Cochran, Rapid May.
2—Peter Stalwart, Bonnie's Buck, Skinny B.
3—Heerthstone, Auntie Curl, Palma.
4—Balgee, Harwood, Jake Arcent.
5—Classy Curl, Cordova, Jennie Crawford.
6—Mercerium, Raoul, J. Noius.

Dullea Elected to Captain B. C. Eleven in 1916

Maurice V. Dullea, '17, of South Boston, as forecasted by the AMERICAN, was unanimously elected captain of the 1917 Boston College football team at a meeting of the letter men at University Heights.

Dullea is six feet in height, weighs 180 pounds and has starred at left guard the past two seasons. He is a graduate of Boston Latin, where he played for two years on Fred O'Brien's Purple and White team.

Dullea is a member of the Fulton Debating Society and the Chemical Club, and also treasurer of his class. Charley Fitzgerald, the only candidate against him, withdrew before the votes were cast.

HUSSANE WARNS JOHN PERELLI TO BEHAVE

Jack Curley, who promoted the Willard-Johnson heavyweight championship match and who is one of the country's foremost sporting men, is managing Tousouf Hussane and wants to have the toe-hold permitted in the match between the Bulgarian wrestler and John Perelli, the whirlwind Italian, at the Hippodrome tomorrow night, on the ground that Perelli is very likely to use it anyhow, or at least try to bring it into play.

When he found that Promoter Tuohey would not lift the embargo on the hold, Curley declared that if Perelli resorted to its use Hussane would retaliate and show the fiery Italian how to apply the hold in a way that he will never forget.

"It's up to Perelli to behave," writes Curley to Tuohey. "If he does not, then I will order Hussane to cut loose, and, if he does, John had better have plenty of accident insurance. The York doesn't like Perelli because of their racial and national feelings, but Hussane is too great a wrestler to let his feelings get the better of him unless forced to get rough. It all depends on Perelli."

Salem-Beverly Receipts.

The returns of the Salem High-Beverly High game at Salem Thanksgiving morning show that the paid admissions were 7,585 and the receipts $8,319.15. As the expenses were only $390.16, each athletic association received $1,414.42.

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It Takes Only One Little Word to Make a New Friendship or to Break an Old One

SILK HAT HARRY'S DIVORCE SUIT

By TAD

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INDOOR SPORTS

JEFF SMITH WINS ON FOUL

CHIP OFF WITH BIG LEAD

A hollow victory, a triumph as hollow as the Washington street tunnel or the Grand Canyon; yep, equally as hollow as the "kick" in a grape juice highball or the "punch" in a 5-cent table d'hote, went Jeff Smith's way in the well pressagented New Jersey middleweight's skirmish with George Chip, the phlegmatic and persevering pugilist from Pittsburgh, at the Hippodrome last night.

Chip, though entering the ring a 2 to 1 long shot in the speculation, was an even money choice with Smith at the end of the third frame. The Jimmy Dime entrant continued to make the pace and pile up points, as well as administer the damage, as the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh rounds were fought.

Then came the "break"; the "break" which netted Smith his technical victory, and saved the Bayonne boy, who has won so regularly in the rings of Australia, France and other foreign countries the past thirty months, from having an almost sure L jotted down opposite his name in the boxing guides and enabled the bunch around town, who had been caught out of line and overlaid the price, to cash very lucky wagers

CHIP IS NO DUB.

Chip was a rollicking revelation; Smith a frapped flivver. Jeff stripe every inch the high-class gloveman He's a clean liver, a fighter who has saved his money and married well and, when ready for action, looks every inch and ounce the high-class performer.

Smith was making his first U. S. appearance last night since his highly successful tours of the townlets of Sydney, Melbourne, Paris, London, Dublin, Monte Carlo, Havana and so on and so on. Jeff, with a brief regularity the two and one half years he was operating in foreign climes He likewise made himself rich

Since Al Lippe retained to the States with the Bayonne boaer, the country's premiers in the 158-pound division, Mike Gibbons, Young Ahearn and the rest, have been letting him run for old Pop Sweeney, deeming his triumphs abroad as entirely too recherche to warrant them taking a chance with him.

SMITH NOW IN DEMAND.

Following the lovely lambasting Chip gave Smith at the season's maiden show of the new Armory A. A., doubtless day letters and night letters will be pouring in upon Lippe. Smith has been so well directed that he affords good material for demonstrative agents in the employ of boxing institutions.

Doubtless he cannot be a sure-enough, hop-to-die flivver, for if he was he could scarcely have come so well while away from home. Just the same, when he is judged on the form he displayed last night, it is plainly evident that he's not "there," nor "right," at present, and needs plenty of work before he will regain the regal form he is supposed to own.

Chip seldom draws much outright praise. He has been called wagginly, slow-hoofed, arm-tired and brain-befuddled. All of which is true, but as the Pittsburgher worked with Smith, [illegible] every time he ran reckoned as good as they come among the heavies in the middleweight div.sion.

While Chip missed many a wallop last night, and at times stood for considerable jabbing, his performance on the whole was a hobby good one. The worst Chip got in any one of the seven rounds that were fought, ere he was unfortunate enough to land his low punch just as the bell sounded the end of the seventh canto, was an even break, and even then one is forced to be unanimous to Smith to say that he made it 50-50 in any particular session

Chip and Smith tired and well beaten at the end of the sixth. George's stomach wallops had weakened Jeff and it was all of 10 to 1 that Referee Jhn Powers' verdict would go this way when the twelfth round was over. Smith didn't have the strength to put over a knockout. So Jeff couldn't win by a knockout. Hence, his long road to victory was to be fouled.

Where the fifth and sixth rounds had been all in Chip's favor, the seventh was even more one-sided. Besides, by two seconds before the bell clanged, Chip shot out a stiff left wallop aimed directly at mid-section of Smith. But the blow went low, landing below the waist line. Down went Smith just as the bell sounded. He was either suffering terrific torture or is the best little actor coming to Boston all Winter

ONE VERY GAY TIME.

Promptly the ring was full of fight managers and officials, towel-slingers and sundry other gents of the world of slam.

Lippe, on behalf of Smith, naturally claimed a foul. Chip — he was sorry; didn't mean to hit below and hoped he didn't. Those were Jimmy Dime's sentiments.

Frantic shots went out for an M. D. to appear upon the scene. Repertorially speaking, all was a scene of tumult and of chaos. Now Phil Powers, nee Phil Donohue, proved quite a while back that when it comes to handling a ring show he can give spades and both casinos to any of 'em and then come through with the right ruling. Hence Phil began to ponder, how to investigate.

He took a slant at the prostrate form of Smith, peeked into his eyes to see if the right glassy stare was there, or if Jeff was stalling; tossed things about in his noodle; beckoned Announcer Benjamin Osthuss his way way and whispered a few words into that gent's left ear.

Then, Mr. Osthuss, after gaining order, gargled thusly: "The referee has awarded the bout to Smith on a foul."

Ring Results

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 8—Frankie Mack of Boston decisively defeated Walter Mohr of Brooklyn in ten fast rounds before the Schenectady A. C.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Dec. 8—Tommy O'Neil of Philadelphia met Bill Martin against K. O. Thomas of Trenton at Pastime A. C. and was disqualified in the seventh round.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 8—Larry Burns of Lawrence showed Johnny Long of New York the short route and won in the third.

At Jersey City, N. J. [illegible] Woods of Manchester, N. H. in the semi-final.

Business Good? The American's Sunday Classified Section Proves It!

BOXING BRIEFS and GOSSIP

THERE'S a lot for Lewis, Murray & Co. to do before they can hope to succeed in making the Hippodrome as popular as the old Arena actually was.

LIKEWISE return to the former big business. While last night's house was a difficult one to size up, it probably was about 50 per cent. under the limit.

THEN, the arrangements on the whole were none too good and the "fans" did more or less squawking. Still, Lewis and Murray aim to satisfy; generally please and doubtless all will be serene a week hence

CARL MERZ, the little negro from Washington, D. C., went on with Dave Powers, the Malden mauler, in the semi-windup to the Chip-Smith fracas

POWERS had the height, reach and weight on Merz. He came into the ring wearing a wide smile; also a high pompadour. Dave boxed well enough in spots, and might have been holding his own with Merz.

STILL, Dave was guilty of landing a couple of low blows early, and, when he repeated in the midst of the sixth canto, Colonel Flaherty waved him to his corner and decided in Merz's favor

WILLIE GREEN of South Boston and Joe Vargus of Cambridge came out ahead of Powers and Merz. They put up six slovenly rounds. Neither had gained anything other than a draw, and that's the decision that was hung up.

AS regards the main muss, it was all Chip as long as it lasted Smith wasn't lefty enough to stand George a round up in the clinches. Then, every time George landed left winced.

THOSE close enough to the ringside do say how Smith whispered to Chip, when the two were locked in a clinch in the sixth frame, that he appreciated the fact that he was up against it and not to be too rough.

BE that as it may, Chip assumed command early in the scrap and was running up a sky-high lead up to the time he was so unfortunate as to land his low punch just as the bell sounded the end of the seventh round.

MIKE GLOVER'S friends claim that the new Armory A. A. refuses to make him anything like a good offer to go on in a return engagement with Ted Lewis.

SEEMS as if Mike went on for rather small kale a week ago and, though being the winner, carried off his ants raised.

EVERY boxing fan in Greater Boston, and all over New England as well, wishes Kaiser Baldwin good luck in his comeback bout with Freddie Yelle at Thornton, R. I., tonight

BALDWIN has stayed under cover since being stopped in a punch by Charley White. He's out to start all over again and figures he will get off on the right foot against Yelle

AT that, Freddie has always claimed that he more than held his own with Matty when they clashed in Augusta, Me., some two years ago and that he will repeat tonight [illegible]

N. B.—Eddie Moore, Yelle's manager writes the AMERICAN from Rockport that it's little short of a sin and a shame what Freddie is going to do to Baldwin. Maybe so and maybe no; let's wait a few hours and see.

KOPSY-WOHLRAB TEAM OUT OF 6-DAY RACE

Fifty-Eight-Hour Standing.

	Miles.	Laps.
Grenda and Hill	1210	2
McNamara and Spears	1210	2
Pogler and Carman	1210	2
Lawrence and Magin	1210	2
Ward and Denny	1210	2
Drobach and Curry	1210	2
Hirten and Hansen	1210	2
Ryan and Thomas	1210	2
Moran and Waltbour	1210	2
Piercy and Walker	1210	2
Eaton and Linden	1210	2
Neva and Kilmer	1210	2
Stanley and Halstead	1210	1
Sullivan and Anderson	1210	1
Suter and Madonna	1210	1
Riddell-Rusal, Vanderstuyft	1200	1

By NAT BUTLER.
(Former World's Champion.)

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, Dec. 8.—The first break in the field participating in the six-day bike grind came today when the team of Kopsky and Wohlrab was forced to retire At 10 o'clock, with fifty-eight hours gone by, the men were still plugging along somewhat ahead of the record established recently at Chicago. The leaders had covered 1,210 miles and two laps.

The Grenda-Hill team, the fastest combination, was almost [illegible] combat yesterday morning when [illegible] Waterloo and fidgt fainted away from exhaustion. Grenda is still suffering with a wounded ankle and is badly off form.

Gameness alone is keeping McNamara in the race, he has acute indigestion and has not taken any food for twenty-four hours. Only half of the riders are in bad shape, however, despite the fact there is apparently no desire on the part of any of them to retire from the grind It is the first time in the [illegible] of the race that the full complement of teams that started have remained intact for more than twenty-four hours.

Moran, Madonna and Sullivan started short sprints last night and the Boston Italian gained a lap by catching the field asleep Madonna and his mate, Suter, of Switzerland, are still one lap to the bad.

Skillful handling in bringing the sick and injured riders back to form and the field will probably be brought up today.

Cutler Last Yankee in Title Tourney

NEW YORK, Dec. 8—America's chances to capture the world's wrestling title had dwindled down to a result of Alex Aberg's victory over Ben Roller, the American grappler Aberg pinned Roller to the mat with an arm and waist hold after one hour, four minutes and forty seconds of wrestling in the international tournament last night. Charley Cutler, the remaining American contender, wrestled a 30-minute draw with "Strangler" Lewis of Germany.

Four Bouts on Card at New Boxing Club

Boston's new boxing club, the Business Men's A. A. is out with its card for maiden show at Horticultural Hall Friday night, December 15 Harry London and Larry Burns, Johnny Shaw and Young Jasper and Howard McRae and Johnny Noonan will meet in the three 10-rounders, while Teddy Murphy and Tony Lorenzo will hook up in a 6-round set-to

Seven Bouts in Three Weeks for Hon. Ted Lewis

NEW YORK, Dec. 8 Ted Lewis, the English champion of the Johnston stable, will have a swell rest between now and New Years

It [illegible] has to do within this time [illegible] is to fight a few (seven) battles, so as not to become too lazy.

To make matters soft for Lewis in some of his engagements will weigh over [illegible] pounds. It was learned upon [illegible] Johnston.

The fact that Lewis will [illegible] heart [illegible] [illegible] put [illegible]

DAN FLYNN GETS MUSSED UP BY HOOSIER

NEW YORK Dec. 8 Jack Dillon of Indianapolis the [illegible] heavyweight champion, defeated [illegible] Flynn of Boston in a ten round bout at the Broadway Sporting [illegible] last night. Dillon a superior [illegible] ring and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the popular award

The bout was fairly even for six rounds

BASKETBALL NEWS AND GOSSIP

TED HURDY, one of the most [illegible] players of Brake [illegible] declared that the Centrals of Mal[illegible] be on hand with a strong [illegible] He [illegible] a [illegible] of [illegible] games with [illegible] [illegible] a either at home or [illegible] [illegible] with him at No 1 Ha[illegible] and [illegible] Malden

ST ALPHONSUS ASSOCIATION [illegible] [illegible] a meeting Saturday [illegible] who [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

It Is Not Easy to Say Whether Indecision of Character Brings More Unhappiness or Contempt on Man

The American's Magazine and Fiction Page

The Story of "Baby Bollinger"

Many Normal, Worthy Persons Dead Because Unfit Have Been Allowed to Live.

By H. J. Haiselden, M. D.

CHAPTER VII. (Continued.)

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YOU'VE heard of Henry Bollinger. They hanged him for killing Mrs. Maggie J. Allison Heaman. When the papers made a great deal more than a dozen other cases, only one of them was ever proved. That was enough. It was thought wise to hang one. He also went to a living hell.

It was because the child was born to Henry Bollinger that the deadly fatalism of a diseased mother operated. Not only once, but twice, in succession, he married a girl who was afflicted with the germ of hereditary insanity. Twice he became the father of a child that was doomed to be an idiot. Twice he was compelled to see his offspring suffer the tortures of the damned.

The first time he was helpless. There was no way to prevent the birth of the baby. But the second time he was warned. He was told that the child would be an idiot. He was told that it would suffer. He was told that it would be a burden to him and to the community. He was told that it would be a curse to itself. He was told that it would be better dead than alive.

He was told all this by physicians of the highest standing in the community. He was told it by his own brother, who was a practising physician. He was told it by his own father, who was a minister of the gospel.

He was told it by the mother of the child herself. She begged him to kill it. She implored him to kill it. She went down on her knees to him and begged him to kill it. She begged him to kill it with a knife. She begged him to kill it with poison. She begged him to kill it by any means that would be painless and sure.

But Henry Bollinger refused. He refused because he was a coward. He refused because he was afraid of the law. He refused because he was afraid of what people would say. He refused because he was afraid of what his own conscience would say. He refused because he was afraid of what God would say.

He refused because he was afraid of everything except the truth. He refused because he was afraid to do right.

He left Chicago at the request of the police. He went to Indiana. He married a girl who was afflicted with the germ of hereditary insanity. He became the father of a child that was doomed to be an idiot. He became the father of a child that suffered the tortures of the damned. He became the father of a child that was a burden to him and to the community. He became the father of a child that was a curse to itself. He became the father of a child that was better dead than alive.

The child was born in a hospital there. The boy was taken to the door. He was given to the nurse. He was carried in her arms. He was laid in a bed. He was covered with a blanket. He was left alone. He was left to die.

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The child was a child. He was a child with the mind of a child. He was a child with the mind of a child. He was a child with the mind of

U. S. RESOURCES LARGEST YET SAYS M'ADOO

POINTS IN M'ADOO REPORT.

"Our financial resources are the greatest in our history and our banking system . . . is the strongest in the world."

Total appropriations for fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, should be $908,765,929, or $167,331,401 more than the previous year.

The Secretary recommends new taxes instead of a bond issue to pay for the expected deficiency due to defence preparations.

Our stock of gold coin and bullion is $3,193,113,762, the largest amount ever held by any na-

By the International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—"The financial situation of this country has never been so strong and so favorable as now," says Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, in his annual report, which was submitted to Congress today. "Our financial resources are the greatest in our history, and our banking system, through the creation and operation of the Federal Reserve System, is now the strongest in the world."

The Secretary asserts that the financial condition of the Treasury is so strong that, even though no additional revenue raising measures be put into effect, there will be a balance in the general fund on Juen 30, 1916, of $13,644,605. Should the war tax, which expires December 31, 1915, be re-enacted, and should the one cent a pound duty on sugar, which, under present law, will not be collected after May 1, 1916, be continued, the net balance in the general fund on June 30, 1916, will stand at $58,644,-805.

Should the $25,000,000 expenditure to be made on the Panama Canal be financed by the sale of bonds as provided by law, the net balance of June 30, 1916, would be $76,644,805, according to the Secretary.

A recapitulation of the finances shows total ordinary receipts of the Treasury for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, of $697,910,527, and total ordinary disbursements of $731,599,-159, giving a deficiency for the year of $33,488,931. This is merely a deficiency for the year, and does not represent the Treasury as behind that much, for it has not yet used up what it commenced the year with.

REVIEWS FINANCES.

The Secretary estimates that total appropriations for the Government for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1917, should be $908,765,929, an increase over the 1916 appropriations of $167,-331,401.

The outlook for the fiscal year 1917, which will begin next July, is not so bright, Mr. McAdoo tells the Congress.

Secretary McAdoo declares a bond issue is inadvisable and says that additional revenue may be raised by maintaining the present war tax and the sugar duty; by raising the income tax by greater care in collections of all taxes.

The Secretary says that it is as poor policy for a Government to sublist on theo receeds of wood sales as for an individual to live on borrowed money. Let the Government procure money through taxation that it need not repay, says McAdoo.

In view of this attitude of the among Administration leaders that retention of the war tax and the sugar duty is inevitable, it is believed here that the Government will not be deprived of these sources of revenue, and this being the case, Mr. McAdoo says, an expenditure of $93,800,000 on the preparedness program will cause a deficiency of $80,365,834 by June, 1917, the end of the 1917 fiscal year.

To meet this deficiency, Mr. McAdoo would increase the internal recenue. He figures that the total increase in revenues needed is $112,205,394, provided $25,000,000 worth of Panama Canal bonds are not sold. If the issue should be made, that much would be subtracted from the amount of additional revenue required.

SEES PROSPERITY.

Mr. McAdoo's suggestions for raising this additional revenue are to:

Increase the corporation and personal income taxes by providing higher rates, and in the case of the personal income tax, reducing the $3,000 exemption fots ingle persons and $4,000 exemption for married folk to $2,000 and $3,000 respectively.

Increase the taxes on gasolene, crude and refined oils, horsepower of automobiles and other internal combustion engines and "various other things where collection could be made at the source." Mr. McAdoo also says that, following the European wan a flood of imports may be expected which will increases custom duties.

Secretary McAdoo reports that the country is so prosperous that additional tax burdens can easily be borne. He says that his action in depositing $15,000,000 in Southern Federal Reserve Banks saved the cotton situation, when that commodity was placed on the British contraband list and that confidence has returned everywhere throughout the country, business in all lines booming phenomenally.

The Federal Reserve system has had a successful year, he says, demonstrating the value of a money system providing elastic credits. "Our stock of gold coin and bullion increased from $1,889,576,550 on January 2, 1915, to $2,196,113,762 on November 1, 1915, by far the largest amount of this precious metal ever held by any one country," says the Secretary.

The Secretary emphasizes the need for a more extensive field service of income tax collectors. "There are, without doubt, wholesale evasions of the income tax law throughout the country," he says.

Lecture by Dr. E. F. Timmins.

Tomorrow evening an illustrated lecture on "The Art Treasures of Ancient Ireland" will be delivered by Dr. Edward F. Timmins of South Boston, son of the late Dr. F. J. Timmins, in the music room of Boston College under the auspices of the Young Men's Sodality connected with the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

THE DINGBAT FAMILY

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Dinny Has Some Idea of "Living on the Country"

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POLLY AND HER PALS

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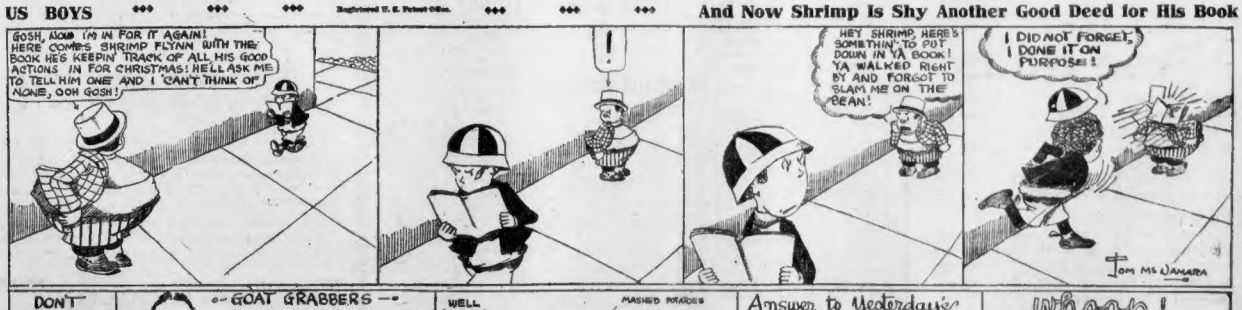

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WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY Shaun Shamer

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Answer to Yesterday's

WHY DOES A DOG WITH A SORE PAW REMIND ONE OF MULTIPLYING? BECAUSE HE PUTS DOWN THREE AND CARRIES ONE!

HOW ELEVATING!

Whoop!

FROM EUGENE RICHSTEIN, BROOKLYN
WHAT HAS NO FEET, BUT NEEDS A SHOE?

ANSWER TO-MORROW

New Lights Tried Out by Autoists

At the Massachusetts Automobile Club, No. 100 Stuart street, automobile owners were given a demonstration of about thirty new devices to prevent glare from headlights on automobiles. The new regulations of the highway commission will go into effect January 1 and all the machines shown have been designed to bring automobile lights into compliance with them.

Colonel W. D. Sohier, chairman of the commission, in telling what the new law requires of the automobile owner, said that the light must be reclined a distance of at least 250 feet with no glare above there and one-half feet from the ground and arranged so that it will not dazzle any other user of the highway.

H. V. Chamberlain, superintendent of the club, had charge of the demonstration. The lights, most of which were electric, were mounted on trucks and wheeled into position at one end of a long stretch which had been painted black to represent a roadway.

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About five thousand shares of stock, par value $10 each, will be distributed by the following bankers and brokers, who are acting as agents of the syndicate, at $12 per share. Preference will be given to small subscribers. The right is reserved to reject any or all subscriptions.

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GERMANY YIELDS TO U. S. UPON FRYE CASE

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Germany's reply to the United States note of Oct. 19 on the Frye case has been received at the State Department. Secretary Lansing said he has not read the document, but it was learned that Germany now agrees with this country on the only point that remained at issue—the safeguarding of the lives of the crews and passengers on merchant steamers sunk by submarines.

In its last note to Germany, the United States took the stand that placing the crew and passengers in lifeboats was not sufficient. The government said that the non-combatants must be placed "in a place of safety." Lifeboats were declared insufficient protection in an open sea.

The United States has accepted Germany's proposals to submit the question of indemnity to a board of experts and to arbitrate the question of Germany's right to sink the vessel, which carried contraband.

Freedman Left His Fortune to Charity

By International News Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Andrew Freedman, bachelor, baseball magnate, racing devotee and intimate friend of Richard Croker, who was so skilful a political financier as to amass a fortune at least $5,000,000, left the bulk of this to charity, according to a lawyer who was called in to draw his will. The will leaves $50,000 to Daniel B. Freedman, the only brother, and contains other specific bequests of comparatively small amounts.

Continue Art Exhibit.

The art committee of the Boston Art Club has decided to continue the exhibition of paintings by artist members in the gallery until December 27.

She Is Coming Next Sunday!

Who? Why, Little Bo-Peep, of course! Only three more days—and then she will visit boys and girls!

That isn't long to wait for such an important little miss as Little Bo-Peep. She is coming all the way from the Land of Make-Believe. Isn't that good news?

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor

Stocks were on a little lower level at the opening in New York without any class showing much strength, but the tendency was more towards recovery and a number of issues advanced. Among those to quickly develop strength were Baldwin and Studebaker. Both began at a decline. Crucible Steel was another to show an early gain. The market was active at the beginning and business continued to be extensive during the first half hour. It was no different in character than that for some time. The public did not respond to the President's message by buying and room traders were inclined to work for lower prices after the latest rise. Prices had been upward for several days and covering of shorts has been on a scale to considerably alter technical conditions. The message, it may be said is better for the market than discussed. What Mr. Wilson said did not surprise Wall Street. In financial circles he was more favorably coasted in a remarkable way, if the sentiment of Saturday is based on guessing.

The supply of stocks at the start was greater than for several days and while recessions were not large they were general. The volume of demand for a few war order issues than for either coppers or rails. Further design liquidation of rails was resumed on considerable scale, it is understood, the closing was at the low of sale.

Gains at 10:15 in New York included American Smelting 1, American Sugar ¼, Utah Copper ¼, Studebaker 1⅛, Republic Steel ⅛, Crucible ⅛, Baldwin ⅛, St. Paul ⅛, Pennsylvania ⅛.

Losses or declines were: Allis-Chalmers ⅛, American Can ⅛, Lackawanna Steel ⅛, American Car & Foundry ⅛, American Locomotive ⅛, Colorado Fuel ⅛, General Motors 3, Inter-met 1, Inspiration ⅛, Kennecott ⅛, Texas Oil ⅛, Willys-Overland ⅛, Mexican ⅛, Southern Pacific ⅛, Reading ⅛, Northern Pacific ⅛, Union Haven ⅛, Lehigh Valley ⅛, Chesapeake & Ohio ⅛, Canadian Pacific ⅛, Baltimore & Ohio ⅛, and Atchison ⅛.

The Steel crowd opened at 86⅝, off ⅛, declined to 86⅜ and at the end of fifteen minutes was unchanged at 86⅝. Well informed people reported from New York was on both long and short accounts. Later it eased off again.

The local market was quiet and irregular early in the first hour, with the majority of stocks quoted lower. Alaska Gold opened ¼ off at 23⅝ and later sold at 23½. This is the lowest price it has touched since it became the objective of bear drives. Boston trading lacked interesting features.

Among early declines were Greene-Cananea, Tamarack ⅛, East Butte ¼ and United Fruit ⅛.

Calumet & Arizona was up ¼, Copper Range ¼, Davis-Daly ⅛ and Vanadium Oil ⅛. American Zinc was unchanged. Butte & Superior was slow in appearing on the tape.

A Census Bureau report issued by the United States Agricultural today shows that cotton ginned from the 1915 crop to December 1, totalled 5,711,453 bales, counting round as half bales. This total compares with 13,973,866 for 1914 and 11,449,020 for 1913. Round bales included this year 93,881, compared with 23,152 for 1914 and 86,378 for 1913. Sea Island included 161 for 1915, 63,024 for 1914 and 61,049 for 1913.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following are the early prices for leading Boston stocks:

	Yesterday close.	Today High.	Today Low.	10:15.
Alaska Gold	23⅝	23⅝	23½	23½
Am. Zinc	28⅝	28⅝	28⅜	28⅜
Calumet & Arizona	68¾	68¾	68¼	68¼
Copper Range	47⅝	47⅝	47⅜	47⅜
East Butte	8¾	8¾	8½	8½
Granby	43⅝	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜
Island Creek	44⅝	44⅝	44⅜	44⅜
Isle Royale	27⅝	27⅝	27½	27½
Mass. Mining	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
Mohawk	58⅝	58⅝	58⅜	58⅜
Tamarack	65⅝	65⅝	65⅜	65⅜
Trinity	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
United Fruit	145	145½	145	145
United Fruit pfd.	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝
United Shoe Mach.	51⅝	51⅝	51⅜	51⅜
U. S. Steel	86⅝	86⅝	86⅜	86⅝
Wolverine	54	54	54	54

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following are the early prices for leading New York stocks:

	Yesterday close.	Today High.	Today Low.	10:15.
Allis-Chalmers	21⅝	21⅝	21⅜	21⅜
Am. Can	51⅝	51⅝	51⅜	51⅜
Am. Car & Fdy	61⅝	61⅝	61⅜	61⅜
Am. Loco	57⅝	57⅝	57⅜	57⅜
Am. Smelting	84⅝	84⅝	84⅜	84⅜
Am. Sugar	116⅝	116⅝	116⅜	116⅜
Am. Tel. & Tel.	120⅝	120⅝	120⅜	120⅜
Am. Tobacco	230	230	230	230
Baldwin Loco	61⅝	61⅝	61⅜	61⅜
Beth. Steel	86⅝	86⅝	86⅜	86⅜
Central Leather	57⅝	57⅝	57⅜	57⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	47⅝	47⅝	47⅜	47⅜
Chi. Mil. & St. P.	91⅝	91⅝	91⅜	91⅜
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	21⅝	21⅝	21⅜	21⅜
Chino	27⅝	27⅝	27⅜	27⅜
Colo. Fuel & Iron	37⅝	37⅝	37⅜	37⅜
Colo. Southern	30⅝	30⅝	30⅜	30⅜
Crucible Steel	68⅝	68⅝	68⅜	68⅜
Dis. Securities	47⅝	47⅝	47⅜	47⅜
Erie	29⅝	29⅝	29⅜	29⅜
Gen. Motors	481	485	481	485
Goodrich	44⅝	44⅝	44⅜	44⅜
Inspiration	45⅝	45⅝	45⅜	45⅜
Kennecott	34⅝	34⅝	34⅜	34⅜
Lehigh Valley	85⅝	85⅝	85⅜	85⅜
Mex. Mining	8⅝	8⅝	8⅜	8⅜
Mex. Petrol	97⅝	97⅝	97⅜	97⅜
Missouri Pac.	11⅝	11⅝	11⅜	11⅜
N. Y. N. H. & H.	58⅝	58⅝	58⅜	58⅜
Nevada Con.	18⅝	18⅝	18⅜	18⅜
Northern Pacific	106⅝	106⅝	106⅜	106⅜
Pennsylvania	56⅝	56⅝	56⅜	56⅜
Reading	87⅝	87⅝	87⅜	87⅜
Rep. Iron & Steel	72⅝	72⅝	72⅜	72⅜
Southern Pacific	100⅝	100⅝	100⅜	100⅜
Southern Ry.	25⅝	25⅝	25⅜	25⅜
Studebaker	105⅝	105⅝	105⅜	105⅜
Texas Oil	139⅝	141	139⅝	141
Union Pacific	134⅝	134⅝	134⅜	134⅜
U. S. Steel	86⅝	86⅝	86⅜	86⅝
Utah Copper	85⅝	85⅝	85⅜	85⅜
U. S. Rubber	57⅝	57⅝	57⅜	57⅜
Western Union	61⅝	61⅝	61⅜	61⅜
Willys-Overland	244⅝	249	240	249

MOTOR NOTES

By J. C. KERRISON.

Next Tuesday night at the Hotel Lenox, the Boy State Athletic Association will hold what it terms its "glorified" monthly meeting. Many features have been promised in the way of entertainment, and the supper will be something out of the ordinary. The affair comes on the anniversary of last year's meeting, when it was proposed to give up the Bay State Automobile Association, on account of lack of members. The membership in the last year has been enlarged to 500 and the association is going strong.

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George B. Kimball and F. A. Ordway of the Henley-Kimball Company are at the present time attending a conference at the Hudson factory in Detroit. They will be absent for the better part of the week. The matter that period will have an opportunity to thoroughly inspect the new model Hudson, which is to be placed on the market in 1916.

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J. H. Macalman, distributor of Stearns cars, has returned from the factory at Cleveland early in the week very much pleased with conditions as he found them to exist in the automobile industry in the West. Mr. Macalman says business was never so good as it is at the present time. The Stearns factory is working full force twenty-four hours a day, and the production is being turned out in a rapid and thorough manner.

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Editorial Columns

OUR FIRST DUTY IS TO MAINTAIN PEACE;
OUR NEXT DUTY IS TO *PREPARE* FOR WAR

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1915

No Place in City Politics for International Questions

Boston Citizens of German Descent Should Beware of Being Used to Pull Other Persons' Chestnuts Out of the Fire

THE American citizens of German descent in Massachusetts know that this newspaper has tried to be fair and neutral during the great world war which is now convulsing two-thirds of humanity. They know that this newspaper has tried to be fair to the German cause and would not give unfriendly advice to the citizens of German descent on any question whatever.

Therefore, the AMERICAN assumes that these citizens will not misunderstand the warning which this newspaper now feels obliged to give them against the selfish personal political machinations of one of their alleged leaders, Mr. Frank Seiberlich, who thinks a great deal more of his own personal political fortunes than he does of the interest of the citizens of German descent in Massachusetts. As an intelligent man who has seen something of public life, Mr. Seiberlich knows that the worst thing that he could have possibly done to isolate and injure the influence of these German-American citizens is his attempt to drag international questions into local city politics, in order to have them pull his personal chestnuts out of the fire. They should be on their guard against these attempts of selfish men to use their sympathy and credulity for selfish, unpatriotic motives.

The fake Phillips circular to the city employes, clumsily attempting to LEAD them by deceit; the bold attempt to COERCE the city men after the exposure of the Phillips circular, and now this letter to the German-Americans, dragging international politics into the city campaign, are all acts of recklessness which characterize the desperation of the Curley campaign for the personal control of Boston.

Women Invited to Marry Cripples and Care for Them

They Accept the Invitation; Their Courage Ought to Have a Good Effect on Some Englishmen

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IN England there has been started—by an earnest clergyman—a plan for getting good wives for the worst cripples—for the soldiers most badly injured in war.

The clergyman reminds young English girls that it is the duty of each one, if she possibly can, to marry and care for some crippled soldier.

Each man with both legs gone, says the good clergyman, ought to be married to a healthy, strong young woman, who will take care of him, put him to bed, get him up in the morning, dress him, and do what she can to make him forget his misfortune.

Every blind man should have a wife willing to lead him about, sing to him, read to him, cheer him up.

Many of these marriages between hopeless cripples and healthy young women have occurred.

You may see photographs of the man, both eyes bandaged and blinded, or with arms or legs missing, at the altar about to marry some healthy young woman.

Thousands of English girls gladly make the sacrifice requested, and cheerfully for the sake of humanity and their country marry into the position of permanent, unpaid nurse.

How many MEN do you suppose would do the same?

If there were in England thousands of crippled women, and if some clergyman should say, "It is the duty of able-bodied, strong, handsome young men to hurry up and marry these cripples—especially those with both legs cut off or both eyes put out"—how many responses would there be?

How many stalwart young men do you think you would see standing up, marrying legless or eyeless girls?

Not many, we guess.

What you see in England now you will see in Germany and everywhere else in Europe—women gladly sacrificing themselves, giving up their lives to make good that for which they are in no way responsible.

Let us hope that in England, Germany and everywhere the self-sacrifice and devotion of women during this war will have some effect.

Let us hope that the English will learn to respect women enough to raise them to equality. If a woman is good enough to care for a legless or a blind cripple, she really ought to be good enough, it seems to us, to vote on the laws that decide how she and the cripple shall live.

Let us hope that in Germany we will hear less of the brutal alliterative statement that woman should confine herself to "Kirche, Kuche, Kinder"—meaning church, kitchen, children.

Women had nothing to do with bringing on the war. They are allowed to supply the sons to be butchered, but not to express an opinion. They are doing everything possible to bear the burden of the war.

The end of this war should be the end of woman's political slavery.

HOWSON LOTT

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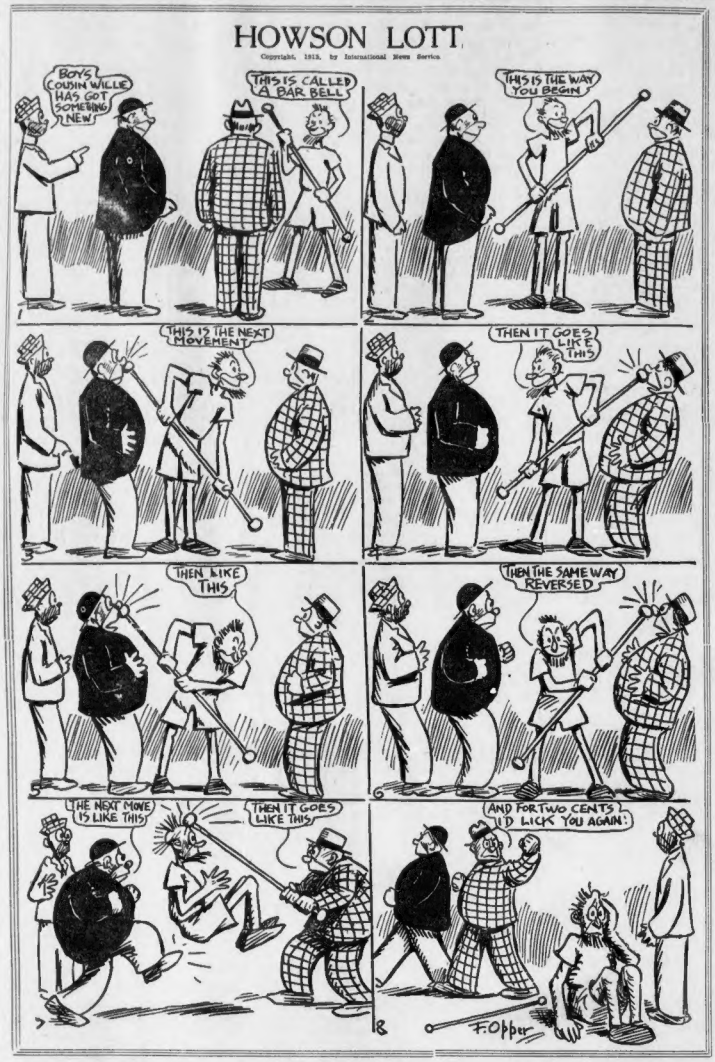


More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

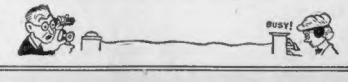
As It Has Been from the Beginning

Professor Schlapp of Cornell announces that the automobile and the movie show are exerting a bad influence on the public.

WHEN Gutenburg invented type, and thinking persons found
A hitherto unheard of way to spread their thoughts around,
The shocked professors of the the time exclaimed in wild alarm:
"We fear this dreadful printing press will do the world much harm.
Instead of working at their jobs our farmhands and our cooks
Are bound to waste their precious time in reading foolish books."

WHEN Fulton's steamboat smoothly sailed along the Hudson's tide
And those who came to jeer remained to watch it, goggle-eyed;
The horrified professors who were leaching at the time
Declared the steamboat couldn't fail to turn the world toward crime.
"The populace will steal," they said, "and murder and garrote
To get the price of joy rides on that puffing, chuffing boat."

WHEN Alexander Graham Bell worked out the telephone
And barriers of distance were abruptly overthrown,
There rose professors in the land who said: "This thing won't do;
This thing that Bell's invented is ingenious, it is true,
But people will neglect their work and squander all their pay
In gabbling at the telephone the whole enduring day."



Which

By Jane McLean

MY mother says, "Now Bobby, dear,
When you go out to play,
Don't soil that nice clean linen suit,
And don't go far away.
Don't get that awful Freddy Jones
To help you tie a can
To poor old Towser's battered tail,
But learn to be a man."

My father says, "Hello, my son,
You're too good to be true;
Why don't you get those curls cut off
Like other fellows do?
You'll have to lick the neighborhood,
And be a baseball fan,
With grubby fists like Freddy Jones,
To learn to be a man."

In-Shoots

Most people vote as they howl, but they make more noise with the howl.

Occasionally a champion whist player exhibits more pride than a crack ball pitcher.

It is better to marry a woman who talks too much than one who does not talk at all.

No man can regulate the weather; but all may kick at the weather prophet.

It is easier to jump into a lawsuit than pull out.

Civil service seldom saves the official who bumps against the political boss.

In most cases the pace that kills does not finish the subject quick enough for the good of the community.

A good many men have become reformers through failure to take liver medicine occasionally.

Wisdom is not so very comforting when we observe the fool in possession of the money.

A woman can suffer in silence, but when a man is affected he generally howls.

When a man with a whiskey breath comes out of a drug store on Sunday, this high license scheme seems to be a failure.

Liberality Is Too Limited

Says Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Both in Money and Love

Many Millionaires Could Well Increase Their Gifts Tenfold, While All Can Give Cheer and Sympathy —What Salvation Army Is Doing

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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CHARGE them that are rich in this world, that they be not high-minded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy; that they do good; that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate; laying up in store for themselves a good foundation against the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life. I. Timothy, vi.: 17, 18, 19.

That is a good text for some of the pastors of our wealthy churches to talk from these days. But, in truth, nowhere in the world can be found greater liberality in the way of giving money to charity than right in our own land. Even those millionaires who are classed among the "stingy" and close-fisted give enormous sums to people and institutions through some liberal member of their households each year.

And, indeed, why should they not give even tenfold what they do—these multi-millionaires?

For once a man has a comfortable home and is assured independence in his old age for himself and his dear ones, why should he leave accumulating millions for idle, selfish descendants to wrangle over?

There must be great joy in the heart of even half-awakened men and women who realize that almost unlimited power lies in their hands at this time of year toward mitigating temporarily the suffering which falls under their notice.

I dare say these enormously wealthy people are no less tender-hearted than the rest of us; and each one of us knows what peculiar pleasure is derived from helping some less fortunate fellow creature over a hard place in the journey of life—a pleasure wholly unlike that of any purely personal enjoyment.

Where Work of God Goes On Every Hour of the Twenty-four.

At No. 318 East Fifteenth street, New York, there is a house where the work of God is going on every hour of the twenty-four and every day in the year.

It is the headquarters for that locality of the Salvation Army; and anyone who questions the sincerity and purpose of that wonderful organization needs only to visit this house to be convinced of the philanthropic, sane, wholesome and helpful work which is being done for unfortunate humanity by these good people.

It is the cleanest house in the metropolis (surely there cannot be two houses so spick and span and shining with freshly washed and dusted white enamel!), and it is a large house; indeed, it is two houses, and there is an outlook on a park; and it is here, where at the door smiling faces of good women greet the seekers after peace, that the doors are ever open, and night or day the sick, the poverty-pursued, the unfortunate, the wayfarers along life's road are welcomed and given help and strength and courage to start anew.

There are little children in that house, little children of frail mothers deserted by their fathers, and these children are receiving Christian love and care from the angelic women who by tremendous industry, unfaltering faith and steady purpose have established this great way station between earth and heaven for lost and wandering souls.

It requires much money to maintain this home, and the others all over the land kept by the Army; do not begrudge a contribution to the Salvation Army people when they ask it of you. If you want to convince yourself of the good use made of money by this organization ask to be shown through the house.

But if we cannot all buy coal and pay rent and give food to needy thousands, there are lesser acts of benevolence and brotherly love within our power.

Money is not the best gift to humanity; indeed it is the worst possible gift, save in cases of absolute suffering and times of dire need; but to give a weak soul strength, a cowardly soul courage, a lonely soul love and an erring soul hope—that is the real benevolence, because it is the gift which lasts and helps both the giver and the receiver.

Eyes of Sympathy Often Too Far-Sighted to See Real Duty.

Perhaps while you are wishing you had millions to bestow upon worthy charities you have neglected to see the downcast look and troubled face of some member of your own household; a husband, a wife, a child, a parent, a brother or sister, who may be experiencing trials and worries unknown to you.

It is a sad fact that many a soul passes through the garden of Gethsemane and those under the same roof and united by the nearest blood ties never suspect its sorrow. The eyes of sympathy are ofttimes too far-sighted and overlook the duty which lies nearest.

Perhaps your neighbor or your friend has made a mistake, committed an error or wronged you in some small matter. A word of forgiveness and a look of forgetfulness would be the best gift you could bestow today.

Were you to pay all the rents for a whole parish of poor people, it might not serve as good a purpose in the ultimate plan.

"Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not high-minded."

That means you as much as it means your millionaire neighbor, for if you have health and work and faith in God and your own soul, then indeed you are rich, and you have much to bestow upon humanity.

Inklings and Thinklings

By Wex Jones

Life's Mysteries: Regular dinners.

Famous alibis: "It was in my wife's name."

Having unblushingly admitted entire ignorance of the pawpaw we have been enlightened by this letter:

Here is a rough description of the pawpaw. The fruit looks exactly like a muskmelon and when green it tastes a hundred times worse than a green persimmon. The tree looks like a date tree and bears flowers which will remind you of shooting a tare. G. YOUNG.

Some ill fruit—tastes worse than a persimmon and looks like a shooting star.

Life's mysteries: Goldfish.

This is from a matrimonial paper:

LADY, Protestant, 40 years of age, is owner of a large amount of real estate valued at $100,000, wishes to marry a gentleman or widower. Reply No. 53998, Editor.

Is it really impossible for a married man to remain a gentleman?